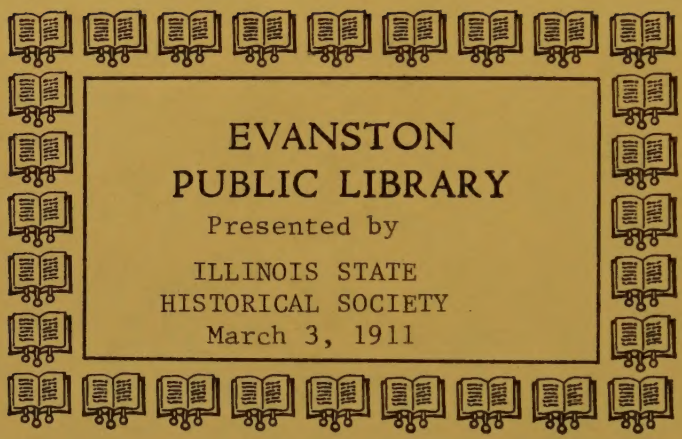
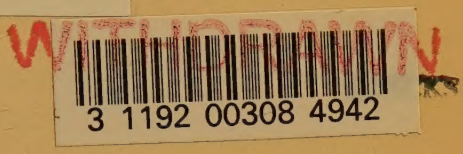

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PREFACE

As first planned, this work was to include by way of introduction a fairly comprehensive history of the periodicals and newspapers of the state. The bibliography grew beyond the expected size, and the historical material proved even more abundant; consequently the introduction has been made only a sketch, and is to be regarded as but preliminary to a more thorough treatment of the subject. It is to be hoped, however, that even in this brief form it may indicate some of the many ways in which the ephemeral stuff of newspapers and periodicals is an organic part of the literature and history of the commonwealth. That but a slight amount of this material is preserved at all, and that little of what is extant is accessible, are two deplorable facts to be derived from the following pages. The library lists may prove a convenience to those who have occasion to consult files of early newspapers. If they serve no other purpose, however, they may call attention to the slight amount of such material now in the safe keeping of fireproof library buildings, and may indirectly help to rescue from attics and storerooms the dwindling legacy that is food for mice and flames.

The sources of the bibliography include practically all of the printed county histories and "biographical albums" and some in manuscript; the proceedings of state, county,

and city historical societies, histories of Illinois and of towns; gazetteers, early books of travels, memoirs, city directories, newspaper directories from 1856, fourteen hundred individuals, either through correspondence or through interviews, and the files of many of the publications. In many instances it has been well nigh, and in some quite, impossible to reconcile conflicts of statement, especially when no files of the publication concerned could be found. For instance, the desire of publishers to acquire long life for their papers has in some cases caused the papers to accrete age simultaneously at both ends of their careers. In the newspaper directories for 1871 to 1876, 1868 is given as the year in which a certain paper was established. By 1880 this date had receded to 1864, and, gaining momentum, by 1881 had gone to 1861. Sometimes these dates are changed arbitrarily; more often, though, antiquity is acquired by fastening paternity upon some preceding publication. This phenomenon has been a source of confusion, and probably of error. Possibly many papers are linked in series that have had no other than a chronological relation.

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HISTORICAL INTRODUCTION

INTRODUCTION

PRELIMINARY

This introduction is the result of an effort to sketch a historical background for the disconnected bibliographical material which forms the body of this work. It is not intended as a history of the newspapers and periodicals of Illinois; but, as one of our county historians has said, the newspaper business with us has been a "halcyon and vociferous proceeding," and some outline such as this may be needed to find the halcyon if not the vociferous in the life history of our newspapers and periodicals. Especially is it purposed to deal with the beginnings in Illinois journalism, and to a less extent to suggest the relation of the newspaper to the manifold successive elements that have entered in the making of the state — population, transportation, communication, politics, education, and other materials and methods of economic and social development; and to record some important tendencies and certain isolated facts not now conveniently accessible elsewhere.

The conditions under which the first Illinois newspaper was established, in 1814, included many disadvantages, which made any other than a meager and tenuous subsistence for it impossible. The population was small and widely distributed; the means of communication were merely rudimentary and frequently inoperative; and both money and labor were exceedingly scarce. That a newspaper was started as early as 1814 was due not so much to business as to political reasons: there was United States and territorial

printing to be done; and the politicians of the territory, including a large proportion of the male population, were yearning toward statehood.

The population of the territory of Illinois had increased slowly until 1813, but with the cessation of Indian raids after the close of the war of 1812, and the passage of the pre-emption act of 1813, a new epoch in immigration began.[1] A land office was opened in Kaskaskia in 1814, and the influx of permanent settlers was much increased. The total population at that time may have been well toward twenty thousand, but it was thinly distributed. The village and vicinity of Kaskaskia, which in 1815 contained between seven hundred and one thousand persons, was least sparsely settled.[2] Gallatin, with Shawneetown as its chief village, was the most populous county on the east side of the territory. As late as 1818 it contained but thirty-two hundred persons.[3] Shawneetown, where the second paper in the state was established, numbered between thirty and forty families.[4]

A fact that doubtless tended to hinder the beginning of newspapers in Illinois was the presence, on two sides of the populated area, of larger centers of population than any in Illinois: Vincennes on the east, and St. Louis on the west. In the first a newspaper had been established a full decade before the *Illinois Herald* was issued — so well established that it is still published; in the second the *Missouri Gazette* began, in 1808, a career which it has continued, under various names, to the present. Other papers helped to supply the needs of the Illinois settlers. In 1816 the citizens of Shaw-

[1] Pooley, *Settlement of Illinois, 1830–1850*, p. 318.

[2] Edwards, *History of Illinois*, 254.

[3] Dana, *Sketches of the Western Country*, 153.

[4] But John Woods, in *Two Years' Residence in the . . . Illinois Country*, says that in 1819 Shawneetown was "a brisk place" and included about eighty houses.

neetown gave notice through the papers of Kaskaskia, Frankfort (Kentucky), and Nashville (Tennessee), that they would apply to the legislature of Illinois for the establishment of a bank at that place.[5] These papers, supported by the population of towns larger than any in the new territory, doubtless delayed both the beginning and the spread of newspapers in Illinois.

Means of communication were meager, primitive, and did not function with either despatch or regularity. The earliest settlements were naturally on the waterways — the Wabash, Ohio, Mississippi, and Kaskaskia rivers. No roads or mail routes were opened until 1805. The first mail route was established in that year from Vincennes to Cahokia;[6] the second from Vincennes to Shawneetown in 1806. In 1810 routes were established to St. Louis by way of Kaskaskia, Prairie du Rocher, and Cahokia; from Kaskaskia to Cape Girardeau, by way of St. Genevieve; from Louisville to Shawneetown; and in 1814 to Johnson Court House (now Vienna). Over these routes mail was carried regularly once or twice a week, except in bad weather, or when the roads were impassable.[7] But it will appear later that even when the mail was regularly carried, the whole postal system was so bad that regularity and promptness in the arrival of expected mail were never assured.

The transportation of freight suffered even more serious vicissitudes than the distribution of the mail, and the prospective publisher of the first newspaper may well have felt himself at some disadvantage in being as remote from the source of his supply of paper and equipment as was Kaskas-

[5] Burnham, *An Early Illinois Newspaper*, *Pubs. Ill. State Hist. Soc.*, No. 8, p. 182.

[6] Boggess, *Settlement of Illinois, 1775–1830*, p. 131.

[7] *Ibid.*

kia from Cincinnati or Frankfort. All goods had to be carried down the Ohio on flatboats, and then poled up the Mississippi, or hauled overland by wagon. The rivers were frequently too high or too low for ease of navigation, and the roads frequently offered insuperable difficulties.

Such were some of the conditions in Illinois in 1814, when the first newspaper was established. Other circumstances and the changes that came with the growth of population will appear in the account of the papers of the first decade and later.

THE FIRST DECADE

The first period in the history of newspapers in Illinois, which begins with the founding of the *Illinois Herald* in 1814, closes naturally and conveniently with the momentous convention election held in August, 1824. In the first period of ten years five separate papers were established, and all continued until the election.

1. *Illinois Herald*, established at Kaskaskia in 1814; renamed *Western Intelligencer* in 1816; renamed *Illinois Intelligencer* in 1818; followed the state capital to Vandalia in 1820.
2. *Illinois Emigrant*, established in Shawneetown in 1818; renamed *Illinois Gazette* in 1819.
3. Edwardsville *Spectator*, established at Edwardsville in 1819.
4. *Star of the West*, established at Edwardsville in 1822; renamed *Illinois Republican* in 1823; discontinued at the time of the election in 1824.
5. *Republican Advocate*, established at Kaskaskia early in 1823; renamed Kaskaskia *Republican* in 1824; continued until 1825; revived early in 1826 as *Illinois Reporter*, and continued for about a year.

It appears from this list that Illinois had but one territorial newspaper, which bore at successive times three various names. With the coming of statehood in 1818, a rival party, and therefore a rival newspaper, was inevitable. As early as the twenty-ninth number of this second paper, dated January 9, 1819, the *Emigrant* indicated that two newspapers, although they were as far apart as the limits fixed by nature and population would permit, could not exist pacifically in Illinois.

The coming of the *Illinois Emigrant* indicated no shifting of the population; more significant was the advent of the *Edwardsville Spectator* in 1819. By this year the population of Madison County had increased to a number between four thousand and fifty-five hundred; Edwardsville, the county town, contained sixty or seventy houses, a courthouse, a jail, a bank, and a land-office. Alton, but a few miles away, had one hundred houses.[8] The new capital on the upper Kaskaskia was already projected by land speculators. In the next year the seat of government was moved, and with it the *Illinois Intelligencer*, to Vandalia. The other papers of the period were significant only as parties to the convention struggle.

Throughout this period from 1814 to 1824 the country was developed rapidly to the northward. The population had grown by 1820 to 55,211.[9] In 1814 there were nine post-offices in the territory, and three hundred and eighty-eight miles of post-roads.[10] From that time both post-offices

[8] Pooley, *Settlement of Illinois, 1830–1850*, pp. 319–320.

[9] *U. S. Census Report*, 1820.

[10] Boggess, *Settlement of Illinois, 1775–1830*, p. 131, *State Papers, 13th Cong., 3d Session.*

and post-roads increased greatly.[11] By 1819 a road was opened from Shawneetown, by way of Carmi to Albion, in Edwards County. In February, 1821, the legislature authorized the building of a turnpike road from the Mississippi opposite St. Louis, across the American Bottom to the bluffs. Edwardsville, Springfield, and Peoria were connected by a mail route in 1822; in the same year a road and a mail route were established between Vandalia and Springfield, over which the State Capital was soon to continue its migration to the northward.[12] In the same year also, a direct path was established from Iroquois Post (now Iroquois) to Danville. In 1824 this path was extended northward to Chicago, and southwest from Danville for one hundred and fifty miles,[13] but no mail was carried over any part of this route until eight years later. Springfield was the northern terminus of the mail route early in 1823, and the next year Sangamon County was still almost entirely without ferries, bridges, or roads. Over most of these routes mail was carried once a week.

River transportation had developed rapidly through the introduction of the steamboat. The Orleans had gone down the Ohio from Pittsburg in 1811, the Washington in 1817. In 1817 the first steamboat to touch a port on the upper Mississippi reached St. Louis; Galena saw its first steamboat in 1822. This was the field, and these were the means of communication in which and by which the newspapers of

[11] In 1821 there were fifty-seven post-offices, but in 1823 and 1825 only fifty three. Until after the first decade, Shawneetown did more postal business than any other town in Illinois, and in 1817 it was the only post-office in the state in which a clerk was employed. In 1821 it did twice as much as Edwardsville, and four times as much as Kaskaskia. See *U. S. Official Registers* or "*Blue Books*," for 1817–1825.

[12] Tillson, *Reminiscences of Early Life in Illinois*, 54.

[13] Boggess, *Settlement of Illinois, 1775–1830*, p. 158.

the first decade served and were served. But the delays in the mail service and in the delivery of freight were so frequent and so prolonged as to be to-day almost incredible. The *Illinois Emigrant* issued no number between June 23 and August 24, 1819, because paper shipped down the Ohio on June 13th was delayed by low water and did not arrive until more than two months later. If this delay was suffered by a paper nearest the source of supply and directly on the Ohio, more extended gaps might well be expected in the other early files. On June 21, 1823, the *Illinois Gazette* received through the post a New York *Spectator* of November 22, 1822, a Richmond *Enquirer* of December 7, 1822, and a Frankfort *Commentator* of January 2, 1823. "Such is the wretched state of the mails west of the mountains, and complaints and remonstrances seem unavailing to improve it," remarked the editor. On this mail service the early western papers depended for their news of the outside world. Hall, in the *Illinois Gazette*, pictures the situation in 1821 thus:

"After a lapse of several weeks (three months, to be exact) we are now enabled to resume the publication of our sheet. Paper (the want of which has been the cause of the late interruption) was shipped for us early last fall, on board of a boat bound for St. Louis — to which place, owing probably to the forgetfulness of the master, it was carried and has but just now come to hand. Our situation is such, and our means so inadequate to guard against these occasional interruptions, by laying in large supplies of paper, ink, etc., at a time that we are more or less affected by every change in the elements, or defalcation in individual promises. High and low water it seems are equally our enemies — the one is sure to delay the arrival of some article necessary to the

prosecution of our labors, while the other hurries something of which we stand in the most pressing need, down the current beyond our reach. And high winds, and warm and cold weather, equally delight to make us their sport. But we assure our subscribers that however much they may regret missing a paper for a week, they cannot regret it more than we; for, after all, we are the only losers." More than five years had been required to complete four volumes.

This uncertainty, especially in the freight service, lasted until long afterward. "You are doubtless waiting with some degree of impatience," wrote Hooper Warren to Ninian Edwards from Galena, July 6, 1829, "for the appearance of the Galena *Advertiser*. After waiting more than three weeks after my arrival, the materials from Springfield arrived from St. Louis. How they got there I have never learned. . . . When we were elated with the certainty of getting out the paper immediately, we were astonished to find that the keg of ink had been left behind! I put it into the wagon myself at Springfield with the other materials sent to Beardstown on the Illinois. Dr. Philleo started down the river immediately, which was three weeks ago last Saturday, to look for it. We heard from him by letter at the Lower Rapids on the 20th ult., at which time he had not found it, and was about to start down to St. Louis. We expect him by the next boat or stage." [14] In the next year, publication of the *Illinois Monthly Magazine* at Vandalia, the state capital, was considerably delayed by the failure of paper to arrive, and editor Hall gave this difficulty in the matter of transportation as one reason for removing the publication to Cincinnati. "We feel no inconsiderable regret," wrote the editor of the *Illinois State Gazette and Jacksonville News* on

[14] Washburne, *Edwards Papers*, 408–409.

January 17, 1835, "at being compelled to an occasional suspension of our publication (owing to a want of paper); but the regret is lessened somewhat by the fact that every paper in the state, with perhaps a single exception, has suffered like disappointments." The *News* had then suffered a suspension of three weeks.

The general character of the newspapers of the period was political, the tone frequently controversial, but highly moral and often religious. As newspapers they would to-day be regarded, even from the point of view of the country weekly, as sad efforts. Of political news, either state or national, there was no lack, and the editors sometimes showed considerable enterprise in securing it; but of local news in the present sense there was very little. Occasionally some space was given to an account of an unusual murder in the vicinity, or an extraordinary rise or fall of the river; but usually the remoteness of the event seemed to increase its importance, and one finds more often an account of the hop yield in Silesia than of the wheat crop in Illinois. It was easier to reset items from the eastern papers, when they arrived, than to gather facts and compose original matter.[15] This was especially true in the frequent periods when the politician who ran the paper was absent, and the work was left to the itinerant and bibulous printer.

The editorial occupied a variable, but on the whole, an important place. These first five papers had pretty definite purposes, forwarded or achieved largely by the direct appeal of the editorial, which, not infrequently in "parlous times"

[15] Shawneetown was for many years the chief gateway for emigrants to Southern Illinois, and a "port of call" for all the settlers bound for Missouri *via* the Ohio River. Equipped with the present newspaper reporter's zeal for news, the editor of the *Gazette* could have made his paper a highly important record of the flowing tide of emigration to the land of promise. But the record was not written. Political maneuvers and quarrels were more important than the incoming population.

of political conflict, filled one of the four small pages, and in a few instances overran even that ample room. Positive or controversial opinion was often expressed over an obvious but sufficient *nom de plume*, though quite as often the name of the editor was in itself a sufficient disguise for the individual or the interest behind the paper. Thus we find Sidney Breese writing to Governor Edwards: "If I continue engaged in politics, I am determined to make Gov. Reynolds choose between Smith and myself, in other words between the *Crisis* and the *Democrat*. Do give your views . . . editorially, thro' me, in the *Democrat*." [16] Yet R. K. Fleming was nominally editor, the paper was referred to by Warren in the Galena *Advertiser* as "Fleming's paper," and not until almost a year later did suspicion appear in print that Breese was the actual editor. John McLean, in the *Illinois Gazette* for July 29, 1820, called Ninian Edwards the "actual editor of the Edwardsville *Spectator*," nominally, and in fact, edited by Hooper Warren; and we find abundant evidence in Warren's letters to Edwards [17] that in editing his papers *Sangamo Spectator* and Galena *Advertiser*, Warren was continually under the influence of Edwards. Yet Warren was one of the strongest and most independent of the early editors, of quite a different sort from Fleming, and the yoke of obligation was burdensome to him.[18]

While in such cases the nominal editor was the spokesman for some one else, there were other cases in which editorial utterances were disguised by means of an assumed name. Signed contributions occupied a large and important place in the early papers, as they have done, and still do, in

[16] *Edwards Papers*, 543, letter to Gov. Edwards, dated September 21, 1830.
[17] In Washburne, *Edwards Papers*.
[18] See *Edwards Papers*, 409, 410, 421, etc.

English newspapers. These articles were either remarks of the editor, or *bona fide* contributions of outsiders. As one of the earliest occurrences of the first kind may be cited a series of letters in the *Illinois Gazette*, signed "Brutus," attacking Daniel P. Cook.[19] They were undoubtedly written by James Hall, who was at that time editor; but, though Hall acknowledged editorial responsibility for the letters, he never acknowledged his authorship of them. Of the second kind there are to be found no more interesting illustrations than are furnished by the many communications of Morris Birkbeck, sometimes signed with his own name, sometimes with "Jonathan Freeman." They were concerned especially with slavery or with agriculture, and were as interesting and brisk in style as they were numerous and long.

The political influence and significance of acknowledged editorials was of serious moment, and matters of importance were not hastily disposed of with an irresponsible squib. Big guns were brought to bear, no matter how belated the broadside. Political leaders were consulted and heeded, even when they were not themselves induced to write. An editor and politician no less important than Daniel P. Cook wrote to Ninian Edwards: "I shall want to make some comments on the importance of the subject, and altho' I shall do it as my own entirely, I shall wish very much to have your assistance in that business. Indeed it appears to be a subject of such acknowledged importance that a man who is able to develop its niceties may well expect to acquire some fame for so doing; and I therefore wish your assistance in making any remarks, lest I should discover a want of tolerable

[19] The first was printed June 22, 1822. Cook replied in the *Illinois Intelligencer*; in answer to this reply Hall assumed responsibility for the articles in an editorial printed July 27.

knowledge of the subject, which would rather make me appear ridiculous than otherwise." [20]

Much of the space afforded by the lack of news was filled with "literature." "Want of room alone," explains one of the earliest editors,[21] "has prevented us from fulfilling an intention which we had early formed, of devoting a portion of our columns to literature. Our own resources at this insulated spot, where we can calculate on but little assistance and where we seldom receive new books, must of course be small; but the columns of many of the Eastern papers are tastefully variegated with those lighter productions which delight the fancy, and on them we may sometimes draw, for the amusement of our readers. But among our friends and neighbors there are, no doubt, many who might contribute something towards the amusement and instruction of others." And indeed, to the many cultural excerpts from the tastefully variegated columns were added stories, poems, and essays by friends and neighbors. John Russell, Morris Birkbeck, and James Hall wrote often for those earliest papers, and made of them sources not to be overlooked by those who would know the early agriculture, horticulture, society, education, and politics, as well as literature of Illinois. Out of the somewhat haphazard occasional use of this kind of material in the first papers there grew a well established custom of devoting certain columns to such matter, a custom that has persisted even to the present in some localities. These earlier productions, however crude, had individuality, vigor, and genuineness not to be found in the sapless tabloid material now supplied in plates at a dollar and a quarter a page.

[20] Washburne, *Edwards Papers*, 125.

[21] James Hall in *Illinois Gazette*, July 29, 1820.

The business of publishing a newspaper in the early days was poor enough at best, and the publisher had a hard struggle to make a living. The initial cost of a plant was small, and the expense of maintenance was low, but the sources of income were correspondingly meager. Had there been no public printing and no politicians who felt the need of "organs," probably no early paper could have lived a year, for the subscribers were few and the advertisements yielded little income.

The first cost of establishing a plant seems to have varied from four hundred to a thousand dollars, according to the amount of type the publisher felt necessary. The cost of maintenance was small. In many instances one man did all the work; seldom were more than two employed on one paper. Usually, it seems, a lawyer or other ambitious person wishing to start a paper found a printer, furnished the plant, editorials, and some of the news, and left the printer to solicit advertising, gather "items," make selections of news and "elegant miscellany" from the exchanges, set type, and "run off" and deliver the paper.

Public printing was a boon to the three earliest papers, and no doubt did much to prolong their careers beyond the average length. This was especially true of the first and the most successful, which was established at an opportune time. There was a great and growing territory rapidly being settled by ambitious pioneers; there was an increasing body of laws, with no newspaper in which to print them; there was the United States printing patronage to be secured, as well as the official job-work. A law in force May 21, 1810, declared that "whereas, it is provided . . . that advertisements should be inserted in some public newspaper published in the territory . . . ; and whereas, there is at this

time no newspaper printed in this territory:" [22] such advertisements should be inserted in "some of the newspapers published in the Louisiana Territory." The act was to remain in force "until a newspaper is established and published in this territory and no longer." [23]

The privilege of printing the United States laws was of relatively great value and was eagerly sought. An act to authorize the publication of the laws in two newspapers in each territory was passed but three or four months after the first paper in Illinois was established.[24] In 1818 the number of papers to be favored was increased to three, and the matter to be published was made to include not only the laws, but resolutions, public treaties, and amendments to the constitution.[25] By this act the compensation was fixed at the rate of one dollar for each printed page of the pamphlet in which the copy was furnished, a page not far from the size of standard law books to-day.

The minimum number of subscribers on which a paper could be run seems to have been fixed by Hooper Warren when he wrote to Ninian Edwards in 1828 that the *Sangamo Spectator* had but 170 subscribers, of which probably a third would withdraw when the year was up, and that nothing

[22] This conclusively corrects Reynolds' statement that the *Illinois Herald* was established in 1809, an error handed down to the present time. (See Boggess, *Settlement of Illinois*, 1775–1830, p. 132, for the latest instance.)

[23] Alvord, *Laws of the Territory of Illinois*, 1809–1811; *Bulletin Ill. State Hist. Library*, 1, No. 2.

[24] Approved November 21, 1814.

[25] Act approved April 20, 1818. The number of papers to be used in each state and territory was changed to two in 1846; the practice was discontinued in March, 1875. The amount of income derived from this source varied. The first *Official Register* to give the names of the printers of the laws and the amounts that they were paid (that of 1833) gives $177.00 for the first session and $91.00 for the second. These amounts were much smaller than those paid previously. An incidental benefit accrued from official favor. There was much printing to be done for the Department of State and of War and the Post Office Department, and the newspaper publishers often received from such sources two or three times the amount paid for publishing the laws.

could sustain the paper but new type and its enlargement.[26] Four hundred subscribers were considered a satisfactory number, although one finds vain boasting here and there that with proper help from all friends this or that paper could increase its list to a thousand.

Advertisements were few, seldom filling one-fourth of the paper, and the rates were low. Of these early advertisements, those of taverns, whiskey, town-sites, and runaway negroes are found most frequently. The last named is found in surprising numbers, not only in the first decade, but on down to the Civil War, many bearing the little woodcut of a negro with his bundle which so impressed Miss Martineau, and nearly all offering a reward of one cent for the fugitive's return. Prospectuses of new papers, and advertisements of eastern, especially Washington, papers were numerous. These, together with notices of Philadelphia, New York, and Boston magazines grew in frequency until the middle of the century, when the use of the telegraph began to shift the whole newspaper situation.

Subscribers and advertisers would have been of more value to the struggling publishers if they had paid, but very often they didn't pay. In the case of nearly all early papers the subscription price if paid in advance was a dollar lower than if paid at the end of the year, but from the frequent appeals for money on account, one surmises that the subscribers found a way to save more than the one dollar. They were appealed to in prose and in verse, they were cajoled, praised, lectured, and denounced. Money was wretchedly scarce, but almost any commodity was acceptable. A full list of what the printers offered to receive would be an in-

[26] *Edwards Papers*, 330. After the *Spectator* had been sold to Meredith, Warren wrote: "Had not this contract been made it is probable the paper would have died a natural death." P. 364.

ventory of the daily needs of the pioneer. The publishers of the *Illinois Gazette* announced that they would receive in payment of *subscriptions*, clean linen and cotton rags; in payment for subscriptions and advertisements, bacon, tallow, beeswax, and feathers. Later, hides, deerskins, and pork were also acceptable. Had there been no laws to be printed and no politicians to have organs, however, even prompt payment of subscription and advertising accounts would hardly have kept the papers alive, or have brought about the somewhat surprising fact that in the first decade no Illinois paper died through lack of support.

The climax of this first period was reached in the convention campaign which began in February, 1823, and ended on the first Monday in August, 1824. The newspapers had a more important place in that contest than in any other important political event in Illinois. They were owned or controlled by leaders in the fray, and in the columns of the few that are left one can follow the shifts of ownership and editorship, the shading off or brightening up of this or that aspect of the main question or of contributory questions, can catch the tense earnestness of spirit with which the opponents struggled, and get much of the violence of invective and abuse which one finds nowadays nowhere except in a municipal campaign.

From the beginning until well on in 1822 the papers were divided mainly on local issues and on men. The slavery question was already looming, but not large, though there had been more or less discontent ever since the passage of the Missouri Compromise, and the parties to the coming struggle were becoming defined. "The anti-convention party," says Governor Ford,[27]. . . "established news-

[27] *History of Illinois*, 53–54.

papers to oppose the convention; one at Shawneetown, edited by Henry Eddy; one at Edwardsville, edited by Hooper Warren, with Gov. Coles, Thomas Lippincott, George Churchill, and Judge Lockwood, for its principal contributors; and finally, one at Vandalia, edited by David Blackwell, the Secretary of State. The slave party had established a newspaper at Kaskaskia, under the direction of Mr. Kane and Chief Justice Reynolds; and one at Edwardsville edited by Judge Smith; and both parties prepared to appeal to the interests, the passions, and the intelligence of the people. The contest was mixed up with much personal abuse; and now was poured forth a perfect lava of detraction, which, if it were not for the knowledge of the people that such matters are generally false or greatly exaggerated, would have overwhelmed and consumed all men's reputations . . . The whole people, for the space of eighteen months, did scarcely anything but read newspapers, handbills and pamphlets, quarrel, argue, and wrangle with each other." It is a source of wonder that long after these events had passed Governor Ford could record that but one duel had been fought in Illinois.[28]

The Edwardsville *Spectator* was the first paper in the state to come out against slavery in Illinois, and to oppose all measures and men that seemed to favor a change in the direction of slavery. The paper was probably controlled by Ninian Edwards; it was the mouthpiece of a coterie of strong men, and under Hooper Warren's editorship it pursued a steady and consistent policy that made it the most influential paper in the state. Until early in 1824 it was alone in its opposition to any encroachments of slavery interests. Other papers were less stable, shifted policies, and

[28] *History of Illinois*, 54.

until late in the campaign did not assume the positions which they were in at the close.[29]

The *Illinois Gazette* favored the convention, but was so near the fence, and gave space to such free discussion of both sides, that writers on this bit of Illinois history have given accounts of its position in direct conflict with each other. A somewhat extended statement of the paper's position is given here in an effort to settle the question. Governor Ford has said that the *Gazette* was against the convention; Governor Coles, that it was for it.[30] These two authorities have been the source of endless conflicting statements, and other contemporary writers, like Hooper Warren and George Flower, have contributed. In his *History of the English Settlement in Edwards County*, Flower asserts, and offers substantial proof, that the paper was pro-convention, while the editor, E. B. Washburne, furnishes the information in a foot-note, that Eddy, editor of the *Gazette*, was against the convention.

Henry Eddy and A. W. Kimmel conducted the *Gazette* until May 22, 1820, when their partnership was dissolved and James Hall became Eddy's partner and the editor. Hall at once acknowledged his ignorance of Illinois politics and chose a neutral course for his paper. This course he reaffirmed, when, in printing a letter from Daniel P. Cook relative to some political charges, Hall said editorially, "We

[29] As late as April 22, 1823, Governor Coles wrote to Nicholas Biddle his belief that the Kaskaskia *Republican* would stand against the convention. Ten days earlier he had written to Richard Flower and Morris Birkbeck suggesting that they take the initiative in starting an anti-convention paper at Albion. See Washburne, *Sketch of Governor Coles*.

[30] "Unfortunately for the friends of freedom, four out of five of the newspapers printed in this state are opposed to them; and the only press whose editor is in favor of freedom, although a pretty smart editor, has rendered himself unpopular with many of his foolish and passionate attacks upon many prominent men on his side of the question." Coles to Biddle, September 18, 1823. In Washburne, *Sketch of Governor Coles*, 160.

wish it to be distinctly understood that we have not forsaken the neutral ground which we have thought proper to assume with regard to the ensuing election. Our columns are open to all communications temperately written, to which the authors place their names, or for which they are willing to be accountable. This is the only course which, situated as we are, completely in the dark with regard to the state of parties, and the merits of candidates, we could with any degree of propriety pursue." This position Hall held consistently for nearly two years, although he was suspected of sympathy with the advocates of slavery extension. Hooper Warren accused him of such sympathy in 1820 because of an editorial in which Hall suggested a disparity between Illinois and the states of Kentucky and Missouri, caused by the great advantage which the last two had over the first from the privilege of holding slaves. Hall denied that what he said referred in any way to the political situation in Illinois, or that it was meant, as Warren charged, to favor the election of E. K. Kane.[31] Two weeks later,[32] in printing a letter from Morris Birkbeck who uttered a word of warning to his fellow-citizens lest they elect pro-slavery officials, Hall deplored the fact that the question of slavery should be brought up. "From this state," he said, "it [slavery] is excluded; it cannot now be introduced; and were an attempt to be made for that purpose we should be among the first to oppose so material a change in our constitution." A change of attitude is hardly concealed in the following, however: April 6, 1822, a communication appeared announcing that the subject of the introduction of slaves into Illinois was in agitation in Union and Jackson counties. "Great exer-

[31] *Illinois Gazette*, July 22, 1820.
[32] *Ibid*, August 5, 1820.

tions," said the editor, "will, in all probability, be used to procure a call for a convention to reconsider the important provision, in our constitution, against slavery. . . . Good cause must be shown before the people will consent to a proposition so pointedly opposed to their former sentiments. Let those who advocate the measure exhibit their manifesto, that the people 'may the better judge.' Our *Gazette* is at the service of all who choose to make it the medium of *temperate* discussion, on this or any other subject, except such as involve the deadly rancour of political *parties* and *partisans*, or the more baneful and unforgiving hate of theological dogma. At present we shall take no part in the slave question, reserving the right to enter the lists at a future opportunity, should we so determine."

Six months later Hall became involved in an acrimonious political dispute with Daniel P. Cook, who was a close political friend of Eddy, and a schism arose which resulted in the dissolution of the partnership of Hall and Eddy in November. No matter touching on slavery appeared until March, when an account of a meeting held at Jonesboro told that Alexander P. Field introduced a resolution which proposed an effort to elect members of the legislature who would recommend a convention for altering and amending the constitution. There was no editorial comment, and no mention of slavery. On March 8, Eddy strongly reprobated the seating of Shaw, but, unlike Berry, made no reference to slavery. Berry's "Extraordinary Legislative Proceedings"[33] was reprinted from the *Illinois Intelligencer* without criticism. From March, 1823, until August, 1824, the columns of the *Gazette* were crowded with communications on the convention and the slavery questions. In that

[33] See p. xlvii.

period Birkbeck's Jonathan Freeman letters were printed and other articles on the same side. No one of these was left unanswered by the opponents, but the paper kept almost clear of the controversy, only once venturing to express the prevailing opinion of that part of the state. In the following editorial, printed June 14, 1823, the *Gazette*, according to George Flower, "showed the cloven hoof".

"The vote of the last legislature, recommending the case of a new convention, seems to have produced a good deal of excitement in the western part of the state, and to have called forth already some pretty warm discussion. In this quarter, as yet, we have heard but little said on the subject, owing probably to the great degree of unanimity which prevails in favor of the measure. The people in this part of the state (in this and adjoining counties particularly) have too great an interest at stake in keeping up the manufacture of salt at the saline, to be easily diverted from the course they intend to pursue by making the question turn upon the propriety or impropriety of introducing negro slavery. They are persuaded that unless the time can be enlarged, during which the slaves of the neighboring states can be hired to labor at the furnaces, the works, after the year 1824, must be abandoned, and this main source of revenue to the state be lost; besides all the advantages which they individually derive from the market, which, when in operation, those works create. The people in this part also, in common with others in all parts of the state, desire an amendment of the constitution in other particulars wherein it has been found defective, and many (we are far from concealing it) are in favor of the introduction of slavery, either absolute, as it exists at present in the slave-holding states, or in a limited degree — that is to say, to exist until the children born after

its admission shall arrive at a certain age, to be fixed by the constitution."[34]

When Coles secured control of the *Intelligencer*, the *Gazette* remarked, "Notwithstanding we have a high respect for the former editors, and the manner in which they executed their editorial functions, we cannot but hope that the *Intelligencer* will henceforth be conducted in a *course*, so as not to warrant any person in saying it *disgusts the community*."[35] The situation is most clearly revealed in one sentence printed August 7. The *Gazette* had vigorously supported Cook as candidate for Congress in opposition to Bond, although Cook was a strong anti-slavery man. No doubt the enmity which Eddy incurred by doing all in his power to defeat the pro-slavery Bond caused many supporters of the convention to regard Eddy as opposed to them on that proposition also. But that his loyalty to Cook in no wise influenced his sympathy for the convention is fairly indicated in his remark of August 7: "The convention question is lost — principally, we believe, from the effort made by Governor Bond's friends to force him upon its supporters, against the declared preference of Mr. Cook."

It is clear from the pages of the paper itself that the *Gazette* favored the convention. But it is more obvious that Eddy opened his columns freely to both parties in the discussion, that he was as nearly non-committal as an editor well could be, and that his course was in striking contrast with that of Hooper Warren and his *Spectator* on one hand, and Theophilus Smith and the *Illinois Republican* on the other.

[34] *Ill. Gazette*, June 14, 1823. See George Flower, *Hist. of English Settlement in Edwards Co.*, 253. No copy of the *Gazette* of this date is preserved.

[35] May 29, 1824.

The *Illinois Intelligencer*, before the beginning of the fight, was inclined to ignore the slavery question; its owners up to February 15, 1823, Wm. H. Brown and William Berry, were on opposite sides. In the number for February 15, however, there appeared a scathing editorial, entitled "Extraordinary Legislative Proceedings," denouncing the legislature [36] for its playing fast and loose with the Pike County members in order to gain the one vote necessary to call for a ballot on the convention. To this editorial William Berry appended a note. "The above 'extraordinary legislative proceedings' have been published by my partner, Wm. H. Brown, Esq., without my approbation, and shall be answered next week." In the issue for the next week Robert Blackwell's name replaced Brown's, and signed editorials from all three participants set forth their respective views. Under Blackwell and Berry the paper was less partizan, but was friendly to the convention faction.[37]

At some time between March 19 and May 7, 1824, Berry disposed of his interest nominally to David Blackwell,

[36] This editorial brought about the only threat I have found of legislative action, and the first instance of mob menace, against an Illinois newspaper. On Monday, February 17, 1823, Mr. Field, of Union County, moved the adoption of the following resolution: "That the Editors of the *Illinois Intelligencer* be requested forthwith to inform this House who is the author of a piece which appeared in their last paper, signed A. B. and which charges the Legislature with corruption and dishonesty." The resolution passed, and there the matter ended. Public feeling outside of the legislature was so much aroused that a mob collected in front of the office of the newspaper and threatened to destroy the press and other equipment. But this demonstration proceeded no further toward results than the legislature itself had gone.

[37] James H. Perkins, *Annals of the West*, appendix, 792–793, says: "The paper (at Vandalia) that performed the public printing, was the strong garrison (of the convention party in December, 1823). On the morning of the meeting of the convention party leaders this citadel surrendered to their opponents, hoisted the anti-convention flag, and prepared to pour grapeshot into their ranks. . . . Governor Coles had purchased an interest in the press; David Blackwell, Esq., of Belleville, had been appointed secretary of state, to fill a vacancy and conduct the paper as editor."

This is inaccurate. David Blackwell did not become editor until after March, 1824.

though Governor Coles was the real buyer.[38] With this change the *Intelligencer* became an active opponent of the convention; David Blackwell in his "prospectus," printed May 14, asserted that he would give his uniform opposition to the convention. And he did so.

The *Illinois Republican* and the *Republican Advocate* (later the Kaskaskia *Republican*) were less permanent elements in the early newspaper field, and did little more than contribute to the campaign discussions of 1823–24. The *Illinois Republican* at Edwardsville was established by a Pennsylvanian named Miller, and his son. Their coming was opportune; a paper to oppose the *Spectator* was much desired, and a group of citizens, including Theophilus W. Smith, furnished some necessary money to aid the undertaking. From the beginning the paper favored the pro-slavery party; when the convention campaign opened, it passed into the hands of Thomas J. McGuire and Company, and became the organ of the convention party,[39] with Smith as virtual editor, aided by William Kinney, West, and others. Smith was a smooth, graceful, and plausible writer. His articles were polished and of considerable literary merit, but he was not the equal of his rival, Hooper Warren. No other papers in the campaign fought at such close quarters, or with such direct personal animosity and bitterness as these two at Edwardsville. Yet the editors went only once outside of their editorial columns and their offices to flay their opponents. Their pens were facile and forcible.

The *Republican Advocate* was established at Kaskaskia by Elias Kent Kane and Governor Reynolds, at first under

[38] Washburne, *Sketch of Governor Coles*, 167.

[39] An interesting sidelight is thrown on this transaction in Governor Edwards's message to the legislature in 1826, and in a letter to Henry I. Mills. See *Edwards Papers*, 270.

the nominal editorship of Robert K. Fleming, the printer; in January, 1824, in the heat of the campaign in which the paper supported the convention party, it was transferred to William Orr. Orr renamed it Kaskaskia *Republican* in March, 1824, and continued the paper until early in 1825, but the collapse of his cause deprived him of most of his support. In reviving his journal in 1826 under the title of *Illinois Reporter*, Orr remarked philosophically that he had been "taught by experience that his course in the political field should not be permitted to transcend the limits of temperate remark," and added, with something further of philosophy, that "extreme violence in political discussions, or unrestrained vituperation of those with whom we cannot coincide in matters of opinion, should not be indulged in."

How much the newspapers affected the results of the campaign can hardly be estimated. Two out of the five were against the convention, and the convention was defeated; but in three of the four counties in which the papers were published, the convention faction won. St. Clair County voted against the convention, 506 to 408, and the result has been credited very largely to the vigorous efforts of the *Spectator*; Fayette County returned 125 for to 121 against; in Gallatin, where Eddy made his timid stand, 597 for to 133 against showed the temper of the southeast section of the state; in Randolph 357 were for and 284 against the proposal.

The engine of the press finished the first period of its career under forced draft and high pressure, as it were. In the columns of these pioneer papers the early life of the state lies revealed frankly and realistically. The editors or contributors included nearly all the leaders in public life, and like the leaders, the papers were strongly partizan.

But the partizanship was obvious and sincere; the earnestness with which either party advocated its cause is still refreshing; and in this earnestness with which the charge was made and repulsed and the countercharge brought forth, there are the simplicity and the strength of the pioneers of a great commonwealth. When the campaign was over the papers lost their strongest writers and much of their patronage. One was discontinued; the others entered the next period weakened in character and in influence.

FROM 1824 TO 1840

The period from 1824 to 1840, although somewhat arbitrarily limited, extends from the great convention contest to the most exciting presidential campaign, relative to newspaper activity, before 1860. It is also a formative period, in which almost every subsequent phenomenon of increase, congregation, and distribution of population was begun or indicated; and in which several types of periodicals were introduced.

In 1824 nearly the whole of the northern two-thirds of the state was included in five counties. The military bounty land tract was divided between Pike and Fulton; Sangamon, Fayette, and Edgar included their present territories and all that part of the state to the north of them and south of the Illinois river and the lower edge of Lake Michigan. By 1840, though fifteen counties were set apart subsequently, the county organization was practically what it is today.[40]

The chief movement of population in the early part of the period was the rapid peopling of the valley of the Illinois river, of the prairies of the central part of the state, and of

[40] *Blue Book of the State of Illinois*, 1905, pp. 414–430.

the Fever river lead region in the vicinity of Galena.[41] The greatest immigration into Central Illinois occurred in 1827 and 1828; from the end of the Black Hawk War until the financial disturbances in 1837 there was rapid growth along the Illinois river. Springfield, which was established in 1819, had a population numbering between six hundred and eight hundred in 1830; Jacksonville was of about the same size. The population of Sangamon County at that time was over forty-two thousand; that of the military tract was about thirteen thousand; Adams County was the most thickly settled district in that now populous area, and Quincy, the county town, contained perhaps two hundred persons. Peoria, whose first permanent settlers arrived in 1819, grew with great rapidity. Peoria County had been organized in 1825 with a population of twelve hundred thirty-six; Galena counted a population of about two thousand, and the county more than twice that number. After 1834 the objective point for immigrants to Illinois was Chicago, where many stayed, and from which point the whole northern part of the state was peopled. This movement was checked by the financial depression beginning in 1837, but revived again in 1842.

Transportation facilities improved rapidly. Steam navigation on the Illinois river began in 1828, and on Lake Michigan in 1832. By 1830 nearly every important point in Illinois could be reached in a reasonably short time, since steamboats departed almost daily for all Illinois points along the Mississippi, and others plied up and down the Illinois.

[41] In the fall of 1825 the *Western Emporium*, published at Centerville, Indiana, estimated that between one hundred and one hundred twenty wagons loaded with families and effects passed through that town in fifteen days on their way to Illinois, chiefly to the northern parts. It believed that as many more had passed through Brooksville, Lawrenceburg, etc.

Roads, also, were improved and extended.[42] In 1824 a stage line led from St. Louis to Vincennes;[43] by 1830 trips were made three times a week over this route, touching Belleville, Lebanon, Carlyle, Maysville, and Lawrenceville.[44] A stage went once a week from St. Louis to Vandalia by way of Edwardsville and Greenville; and once a week to Galena by way of Edwardsville, Springfield, and Peoria. In 1836 a line of wagons was established between Chicago and Kankakee, where connection was made for the Illinois river; three years later a stage line operating between Chicago and Galena made the trip in two days.

Four newspapers survived the convention campaign, to connect the preceding with the period now being considered. To these were added one hundred and fifteen new journalistic ventures, and thirty-one others that belong to a most difficult class, based on a sort of incorporeal hereditament; papers with new names or old names, but related more or less mythically with preceding publications. An attempt to follow the wandering titles and peripatetic subscription lists of many of these early papers carries the investigator too near the psychical for any practical purposes of record. However, of these one hundred and sixty that had existence in these sixteen years, but fifty-two remained for the census enumerator in 1840, several of which were but temporary campaign sheets.[45]

[42] The General Assembly in 1830 passed many laws establishing new roads, and shortening and improving others. Some of the more important highways authorized at that session were: One from the west bank of the Wabash opposite Vincennes, to Chicago, through Palestine, York, Darwin, Paris, and Danville; one from Springfield to Rock Island via Sangamontown, New Salem, Miller's Ferry, Havana, and Lewiston; one from Pekin to Vermillion County; and one from Alton to Galena, via Carrollton, Whitehall, Jacksonville, Bairdstown (sic), Rushville and Macomb.

[43] Davidson and Stuvé, *History of Illinois*, 352.

[44] Peck, *Gazetteer of Illinois*, 1837, p. 325, says that stages ran each way on alternate days over this route, and twice a week between Shawneetown and Carlyle. See also Mitchell, *Illinois in 1837*, p. 66.

[45] See fourth paragraph *subseq.*

The geographical distribution of the papers established in this period is of much significance. Whereas in the first decade no paper was projected in territory farther to the north than Vandalia, two years later the *Miner's Journal* appeared at Galena, two hundred miles northward; in the next year the *Sangamo Spectator* was established at Springfield; Jacksonville followed in 1830 with the *Western Observer*, Alton in 1832 with the *Spectator*, and Chicago with the *Democrat* in 1833. Add to these the *Chronicle and Bounty Land Advertiser*, begun at Beardstown in 1833, the *Enquirer*, set up in the same year at Danville, on the eastern edge of the central belt of the state, the *Illinois Champion and Peoria Herald* in the north central section, 1834, and the *Bounty Land Register*, begun in 1835 at Quincy, on the extreme western side, and the limits of distribution have been reached. What remained now was but the filling in of the spaces between these remote points, and much of this was accomplished within the period.

The filling-in process was urged to abnormal activity by the grand internal improvement scheme. No fewer than nineteen newspapers were established in towns along the Illinois river and the canal route, including Alton and excluding Chicago, between 1836 and 1840. But as no part of the state was left out of this comprehensive scheme, papers grew, declined, and died in all parts of the state. Yet aside from the impetus of the improvement scheme there was the spirit of the time that made for recklessness. Immigration and speculation were abnormally augmented, settlers were pouring into the state, town sites were being laid out on all sorts of theories of future development. A contemporary editor has given an explanation of the newspaper situation that doubtless is true.

"The establishment of newspapers appears to be a leading characteristic of the present age. So great is the rage for getting up papers, that the patronage necessary for their maintenance is thought a secondary consideration, if, indeed, it is not deemed of too little consequence to elicit even a passing enquiry. Is there a town or city in embryo, with its plat designated, its streets and alleys, and public grounds marked out, having within its bounds some half a dozen houses, a tavern, a store, and a blacksmith shop?— its crowded population and wealth and greatness are seen in perspective, and a press is wanted, the sacrifice of some poor printer is demanded, to magnify its beauties, extenuate its faults, transform its very evils into blessings, and give assurance to the world of, not what it is, but what it *is to be.* Is there a little village, with its political parties or factions in array?— the one must have its paper to promulgate its doctrines and vindicate its rights; and anon the opposing party, having in their imagination great principles and important interests at stake, must also have its organ through which it can be heard, that the encroachments of contending power may be stayed. Is there a wealthy and ambitious demagogue, grasping for office as the only means of obtaining a short-lived and perchance an unenviable distinction? — the press is the great lever by which he is to consummate his wishes. Is there a lawyer, brief in years, brief in legal acquirements, with professional prospects *briefless*, the press is the fulcrum upon which his last hope for political preferment is based — the all-powerful engine by which he is to elevate himself to the summit of his imaginary glory, to the highest goal of his ambitions,— and straight the learned Theban mounts the editorial tripod, and with more than

sibylline gravity utters forth his oracles of political wisdom to a benighted world."[46]

The presidential campaign of 1840 brought into being a large number of papers. Of the seventeen established in 1839, six may reasonably be considered campaign ephemera, which were discontinued in 1840 or 1841, or, finding evidence of permanent support, changed their titles to indicate their altered character. In 1840 such papers as *Sucker*, *Spirit of '76*, *Sovereign People*, *Illinois Free Trader*, *Old Hickory*, and *Old Soldier* were started merely as campaign sheets; and there were at least twelve others primarily of the same character. Sixteen of the thirty new or refurbished down-state papers established in 1840 ended with the campaign or within the following year.

In tone the papers were not materially different from those of the preceding period. There were, to be sure, a good many very poor sheets, of a colorless, neutral tone, the forerunners of the abject bread-getters, never exalted to the dignity of bread-earners, which became widely prevalent in the decade from 1870 to 1880. But more of the papers were run by men of backbone and brains — proportions varying. Politics continued to be the primary interest, and the political tone was nothing softened since 1824. No presidential contest in Illinois produced more violent newspaper utterances than that of 1840. It was a campaign especially to the taste of the settlers in the young, crude state, and the inhabitants entered the lists without reserve, and with sufficient vocabularies. Witness this following, from

[46] *Illinois State Gazette & Jacksonville News*, May 9, 1835. The promptness with which newspapers were set up in incipient villages is well illustrated in the case of Grafton. The first settlers built their cabins in 1832, streets were laid out in 1836, and John Russell published the *Backwoodsman* there in 1837.

the Vandalia *Free Press*, edited by William Hodge, for July 27, 1838 (extra):

"GLORIOUS TIMES" OF
PATENT DEMOCRACY!

A "Mousing Grimalkin" for President!

A practical amalgamator, his *vice*!

A *Taney* Federalist in the chair of Marshall.

A Secretary of the Treasury whose financial blunders would disgrace a schoolboy!

An Attorney General who has yet to learn the first rudiments of political honesty!

A servile Senate fawning at the footstool of Puss's throne!

Hodge was not a fair representative of the Illinois newspaper men of his day, perhaps, but however the papers differed in degree, they were alike in being strong party organs, one-sided, and never independent.

The strong bias that seemed to be demanded of the newspapers of the time, the bias that fed the party or factional spirit, at the same time reduced the power of the papers. 'Newspapers at present have but little influence," wrote Hooper Warren in 1828.[47] "The readers are few, and these are taught to believe that all that appears in a newspaper is a lie, of course." At this same time De Tocqueville remarked the small influence of American papers,[48] and Harriet Martineau had never heard any one deny the profligacy of newspapers in general, or that the American were the worst. Why "the republic has not been overthrown by its newspapers"[49] Miss Martineau might have learned from Hooper Warren.

[47] *Edwards Papers*, 336.

[48] *Democracy in America*, I, 235. (Bowen, 1882.) But see also 238.

[49] *Society in America*, I, 75. (Paris, 1837.)

Though the newspaper readers were few from the point of view of an unsuccessful editor, the ratio of newspapers to population was large, as the following table will show, and their influence was without doubt greater than the discouraged editor of the Galena *Advertiser* believed.

RATIO OF NEWSPAPERS TO POPULATION IN 1837

Town	Population[50]	Pop. of Co. (1835)	Newspaper
Alton	2,500	9,016	4
Chicago	8,000	7,500	3
Galena	1,200	4,350	1
Jacksonville	2,500	16,500	3
Ottawa	400	4,754	1
Pekin	800	5,850	1
Peoria	1,500	7,000	1
Shawneetown	600	8,660	1
Springfield	....	17,573	2
Vandalia	850	3,638	2

In the following statistical view of the publishing industry in the state in 1840, presented in the census report for that year, two items require comment. The four periodicals assigned to Jo Daviess County it seems impossible to identify. There were but two towns of any consequence in the county at that time, and neither, so far as available materials show, supported a periodical other than a newspaper. The same difficulty attends the daily paper in Schuyler County. Possibly the Rushville *Political Examiner* was issued daily in the heat of the campaign.

[50] These figures are from Mitchell, *Illinois in 1837*, and are probably estimated.

CENSUS OF 1840

Counties	Printing Offices	Binderies	Daily Newspapers	Weekly Newspapers	Semi- and Tri-weekly Newspapers	Periodicals	Men Employed	Capital Invested
Adams	4	1	.....	1	.....	.....	6	$1,600
Cook	3	1	2	2	.....	1	19	8,300
Edgar	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	3	800
Fayette	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	6	4,000
Fulton	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	4	.....
Gallatin	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	7	1,500
Hancock	2	.....	.....	1	.....	1	4	1,000
Jersey	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	4	1,000
Jo Daviess	2	.....	.....	2	2	4	11	3,500
La Salle	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	8	2,000
Madison	4	.....	.....	3	.....	1	16	14,000
Montgomery	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	3	1,200
Morgan	2	1	.....	1	.....	1	14	3,000
Peoria	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	9	3,500
Putnam	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	2	1;100
Randolph	2	1	.....	2	.....	.....	5	1,800
Rock Island	1	.....	.....	1	.....	1	5	2,300
Sangamon	3	1	.....	4	.....	.....	28	13,000
Schuyler	1	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	3	600
St. Clair	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	2	500
Tazewell	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	200
Wabash	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	7	1,400
Will	1	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	3	3,000
Winnebago	2	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	6	2,000
Total	45	5	3	38	2	9	175	71,300

Throughout the first half-century of our newspaper history the weekly papers were all these things to all men; each presented a symposium of politics, agriculture, morals, mechanics, science, and literature — something to please each member of the family, indeed. But the idea of special types was present very early, and found concrete habiliment in several premature publications. As early as 1829 a

religious paper was started; in the next year appeared an agricultural journal, the second west of the Alleghanies, and a monthly literary magazine. The first harbinger of the flock which was to spread the Washingtonian movement abroad in the state came in 1836; in 1837 an educational monthly endured a brief life of neglect. In the next year a paper was started at Edwardsville to promulgate a universal language. Finally, ambitious Chicago produced in 1839 the first daily paper in the state, and in 1840 the second. It should be noted too, that the two oldest papers in Illinois to-day look back to this period for their beginnings. Most of these pioneers in special fields require here a word of comment.

Religious journalism, which has been important numerically since the middle of this period, began with the *Pioneer of the Valley of the Mississippi*, established at Rock Spring by John Mason Peck and T. P. Green, and first issued on April 25, 1829. It was a private venture, and Baptist. Baptist journalism in Illinois has been, from the beginning, wholly a matter of private enterprise in contrast with that of Ohio and Michigan, among the western states.[51] The idea of the *Pioneer* originated with Peck, who felt that his Baptist seminary, and the state, needed the stimulus that a weekly paper would give. He found a Rev. T. P. Green willing to furnish half enough money to start the venture, and to act as publisher. The rest of the funds Peck secured from eastern Baptists, who, no doubt, at Peck's suggestion, stipulated that half of the profits should go to the seminary. Peck was editor, and in his travels solicited subscriptions. But the paper was a dead expense from the beginning;[52]

[51] Justin A. Smith, *History of the Baptists in the Western States*, 380.
[52] Rufus Babcock, *Memoir of John Mason Peck*, Phila., 1864.

the Rev. Mr. Green soon starved out, and was succeeded by a Mr. Smith, son-in-law of Mr. Peck. In June, 1836, the office was moved to Alton, where it was a distressing burden to its originator until January, 1839, when it was combined with the *Baptist Banner* of Louisville, Kentucky.

That an attempt was made to establish a pretentious literary monthly in Illinois in 1830 provokes astonishment paralleled only by the wonder that the attempt was carried two years toward success. James Hall, lawyer, writer, circuit judge, state treasurer, editor of the *Illinois Emigrant* from 1820 to 1822, of the *Illinois Intelligencer* from 1829 to 1832, trustee of Illinois College, writer of fiction, literary biography, and commercial statistics, vehement politician and maker of many enemies — this versatile Pennsylvanian established the *Illinois Monthly Magazine* at Vandalia, October, 1830, and published it there for two years. Illinois had been a state but twelve years, and contained more horse-thieves in the southern and Indians in the northern sections than *litterateurs* in both. Yet here was this hopeful voice calling out from Vandalia to the people of Illinois for articles on subjects literary, scientific, cultural — for fiction and for poetry — and for appreciation in coin of the realm. It had nearly a score of predecessors in the Ohio valley,[53] including *The Medley* (1803), *Western Review* (1820) and *Transylvanian* (1829) at Lexington, Kentucky; *Cincinnati Literary Gazette* (1824), *Western Monthly Review* (1828), *Sentinel and Star in the West* (1829), and *Olio*, at Cincinnati, the western publishing center of that time. Of these predecessors to Hall's venture, *Olio* (1821–22) is of interest here because one of its editors was Samuel S. Brooks, who became

[53] Venable, *Early Periodical Literature of the Ohio Valley*. Cairns, *On the Development of American Literature from 1815 to 1833*, pp. 60, 61.

one of the most active and trenchant of early editors in Illinois. The greater age and population of the communities in which these early attempts were made, as compared with the village capital of Illinois, make Hall's venture seem the more hazardous.

Yet Hall's purpose was largely practical. "The leading features of our humble attempt," the editor explained in the preface to his first number, "will be to disseminate knowledge, to cultivate a taste for letters, and to give correct delineations of this country to our distant friends. . . . Every topic connected with the arts, the industry, or the resources of this flourishing state, or of the western country, will come within the scope of this work. . . . But while we propose to give a prominent place to the *useful*, it is not our intention to neglect the lighter and more elegant branches of literature. Original tales, characteristic of the western people, are promised, and we think that our arrangements in this department are such, that the lovers of ingenious fiction will not be disappointed. Literary intelligence will form a portion of each number." Something further of Hall's ideal was expressed in the seventh number, when, in the course of an article on "Periodicals," the editor wrote, "Our editors have become too formal, and stately, and fastidious. . . . Instead of the infinite variety of topics, which once gave interest to works of this description, nothing is now admitted but reviews, tales, and poetry. . . . I am much better pleased with the good old-fashioned magazines . . . within whose well furnished pages, the reader, whatever might be his taste, was sure to find something agreeable."

Such, indeed, was the character of the *Illinois Monthly Magazine*, for performance followed close on purpose, and Hall gathered in those two ambitious volumes a quantity,

quality, and variety of matter creditable indeed. He drew on his own resources heavily — he contributed nearly one-half of all that he printed. And he drew at the same time on all other available resources in the state, and soon exhausted them.

The energetic citizens of Alton, which at that time was almost the equal of Chicago in population, furnished the first organ of temperance reform, when on June 1, 1836, the Illinois State Temperance Society published there the first number of the *Illinois Temperance Herald.* The paper never received from subscriptions and advertisements a support sufficient to maintain it, but the society seems to have had fairly ample funds, since for some time as many as six thousand copies of the *Herald* were circulated.[54] Furthermore they brought Timothy Turner, an effective temperance lecturer, from New York, and at considerable expense secured A. W. Corey as editor of their paper.[55] The burden became too great, however; the Missouri Society was in 1839 induced to share the expenses of publication, and the title of the paper was altered to *Missouri and Illinois Temperance Herald.* The words *and Washingtonian* were added in 1842, after which time the paper did not long survive.

Ensley T. and C. Goudy began in January, 1837, to publish the first educational journal in Illinois, probably the first in the Mississippi valley. It was entitled *Common School Advocate*, and was issued monthly. Only a printer

[54] Tanner, *Martyrdom of Lovejoy*, 100.

[55] Tanner, *supra cit.*, declared that Corey provoked heated opposition in St. Louis, especially by printing the names of all wholesale grocers of that city who sold liquors, and charging them with participating in a common crime. "Many, in their fury, would have been glad to have wiped out of existence not only the *Observer*, but also the *Temperance Herald*, with their editors, printers, and offices, as nuisances in society."

like Goudy, who ventured and failed in many journalistic undertakings, would have had the courage to use labor, ink, and paper, even, in publishing a school journal in Illinois, at that time. There was no common school system; there were no required qualifications for school teachers; and there was a latent antagonism on the part of a large portion of the populace to an educational system which would entail taxation.[56] "We apprehend," said S. S. Brooks, editor of the Jacksonville *Gazette and News* in a notice of the *Common School Advocate*, "there is not sufficient intelligence among the mass of teachers in the state to appreciate the merits of such a work, nor interest enough taken by parents in the success of common schools, or in the education of their children, to induce them to extend, at the present time, an adequate support to the enterprise." The editorial labor was done by "a few literary gentlemen who, from their deep interest in this subject, generously volunteered their services for one year without remuneration." Samuel Willard ascribed the editorship to Rev. Theron Baldwin.[57] But Brooks's pessimism seems to have been warranted, for the journal did not continue beyond the year. The failure of the *Advocate* was in keeping with the fate of all educational journals, four in number, which had been established up to that time in the United States. The first was begun in 1818; the least unsuccessful lived for ten years; others, four, two, and one, respectively. Considering the conditions, the *Common School Advocate* had its due length of life.

Chicago had a population of about five hundred when the first newspaper was set up in it, and mail was carried on

[56] Mitchell, *Illinois in 1837*, pp. 60–61.

[57] W. L. Pillsbury, in *Report of the Supt. of Public Instruction*, 1883–84, p. cxvii. Quoted in *Pub. No. 10, Ill. State Hist. Lib.* 333.

a horse once a week by way of Niles, Michigan. And it is significant that the first number of this first paper strongly urged "the commencement and completion of the long-contemplated canal to connect the waters of Lake Michigan with the Illinois River." In that year, 1833, when the *Democrat* added its voice to the internal improvement chorus, a total of twenty-eight voters elected the first trustees of the new town; and seven thousand Indians met thereabouts to sign a treaty ceding to the United States all of the territory in northern Illinois and in Wisconsin. A second paper was established in 1835, when the population of the town was 3,265, including a number of Whigs who were not content to have their interests ignored by the only paper in the place. They consequently saw to it that the Whig *American* was started, and this paper, on November 26, 1839, began to issue the first daily in the state. Its rival began a daily in the following year. Thus the dailies really began in this period, but discussion of them is placed in the next, in which they became an important feature of journalism.

Although this sketch is confined to affairs less widely known than the brief career of the Alton *Observer*, ending in the death of Elijah P. Lovejoy, it is perhaps permissible to recite briefly the events connected with that fatal affair, since the *Observer* was the first abolition paper in Illinois. Hooper Warren contrasts conditions in 1837, when Lovejoy was killed, with those in 1820, when Warren, unmolested, conducted the *Spectator*, [58] suggesting the inference that the two men were preaching the same doctrine. But such an inference is erroneous. The Edwardsville *Spectator* was not an abolition paper, but an anti-slavery paper. Since Warren's paper was only anti-slavery, the *Observer* was the first

[58] In *Genius of Liberty*, Vol. I, no. 1.

abolition paper in the state, the first of a considerable number, most of which originated between 1842 and 1850.[59]

The Rev. Elijah P. Lovejoy, who had been forced to leave St. Louis because of his abolitionist utterances, arrived at Alton with a press and an intention to establish a newspaper, or to conduct at that point the one that he was not allowed to continue at St. Louis. Many citizens at Alton resented the idea of an abolition paper in that place, and on the night after the arrival of the press, threw it into the Mississippi. At a public meeting held on the next day Mr. Lovejoy assured that people that they had mistaken his motives, that he had intended to establish a religious, not an anti-slavery newspaper; he asserted his personal antagonism to slavery, but denied that he was an abolitionist.

These statements were taken as a pledge by those citizens who felt that they had a right to receive in advance a pledge as to what kind of doctrine Lovejoy was to print in his newspaper. "Upon this condition," says Ford,[60] "he was permitted to set up the Alton *Observer* without opposition." The editor had no idea of assenting to such a condition, but for some time he conducted the *Observer* as a religious paper, opposed to slavery, but not abolition in tone. Gradually his own views changed, however, and within a year he was foremost in Illinois abolition councils. A meeting of anti-abolitionists resolved that Lovejoy had broken his pledge and was threatening the peace of the community. A committee impressed those resolutions upon him, to which he answered with a denial of having given a pledge, and contended for right to freedom of discussion. To this his

[59] See p. lxxv.

[60] *History of Illinois*, 234–235.

critics replied on September 21 by throwing his press and type into the Mississippi. A state anti-slavery meeting was held at Upper Alton on September 27 for the purpose of forming an anti-slavery society, but as the call included all friends of free discussion, the anti-abolitionists made the meeting futile. Another was held on October 28, at which it was voted to order a new press. News of this act brought on another mass meeting at which was discussed not the right to require an editor to promise in advance what he intends to say, but whether or not he had kept such a promise, and what he intended to do in the future. Lovejoy asserted that he would advocate what doctrines he wished; his opponents resolved that he should not advocate abolition.

With matters in that posture the press arrived, and was placed in a warehouse, where it was guarded by Lovejoy and others. In an attack on the warehouse Lovejoy and one of his opponents were killed. The press was thrown into the river, and the paper was not again printed in Alton. "After the violence of feeling had somewhat subsided," remarks Ford,[61] "both parties were indicted for their crimes arising out of these transactions, and all were acquitted; making it a matter of record that in fact the abolitionists had not provoked an assault; that there had been no mob; and that no one had been killed or wounded." This

[61] *History of Illinois*, 245. For contemporary accounts of this affair see William S. Lincoln, *Alton Trials*, New York, 1838; Rev. Edward Beecher, *Narrative of Riots at Alton*, Alton, 1838; also Henry Tanner, *Martyrdom of Lovejoy*, Chicago, 1881. Harris, *Negro Servitude in Illinois*, 68–98, reviews the event and its results, giving on p. 96 n. an incomplete list of papers which deplored the riot, and saying: "In Illinois the effect of the rioting at Alton upon the anti-slavery cause was not at once apparent. There was a small public meeting in Chicago, which condemned the assault on the warehouse as a blow at the freedom of the press. This and the censure of a few papers like the Peoria *Register* were the only protests against the outrage. In fact, few people in the state cared to raise their voices in condemnation of the deed — such was the disrepute in which the abolitionists were then held." For its effect at the center of abolitionist agitation see *William Lloyd Garrison, The Story of His Life*, Vol. 2, pp. 182–192.

verdict was reached in spite of the fact that the evidence showed that each accused individual had been present when Lovejoy was killed, and that most of them had had weapons of some sort in their hands.[62]

The *Observer* was not the only paper suppressed in the course of the slavery struggle in Illinois, as will appear in another section; but Lovejoy was the only editor killed in such affairs, and his death, more than his or other anti-slavery paper, gave coherence and impetus to the abolition movement.

The period ending in 1840, with a total of fifty-three papers, showed little development in the character of the newspapers of the ordinary type. They were still strongly political and partizan; there had been no noticeable improvement in tone; no great editors had appeared, although such men as John York Sawyer, John Bailhache, J. M. Peck, John Russell, and S. S. Brooks, besides Hooper Warren and others who had figured in the previous period, raised a part of the press of Illinois well above the level of mediocrity. In the beginnings of religious, literary, and some other special forms, indications of progress were to be seen, but the chief growth had been numerical and geographical. Although many immigrants had come, and many thousands of idle acres had been tilled, pioneer conditions still prevailed, and nothing could have been more uncouth and violent than the newspapers in the campaign of 1840, with which this period closed.

FROM 1841 TO 1860

Three important movements affected the character and growth of newspapers in the period from 1840 to 1860.

[62] Harris, *Negro Servitude in Illinois*, 95.

These were the introduction of the telegraph, the coming of the railroad, and the political shifts and realignments that led to the forming of the Republican party organization in Illinois in 1856, and eventually to the nomination of Lincoln. The first two combined to bring about a revolution in economic conditions in the newspaper industry; the third brought to a close an epoch of political chaos among the papers, and established a pretty definite basis of classification. There were fifty-two papers in the state in 1840. In the score of years following, a total of seven hundred and thirty-one others, at least, were begun. In 1860 two hundred and eighty-six remained, showing a net increase of two hundred thirty-four, in spite of the great mortality.

The most striking effect of the introduction of the telegraph and the railroad was that which it had in promoting the establishment and growth of daily papers. It is a truism well known to newspaper publishers that as soon as the population of a town becomes large enough to support one daily journal, two are started. The relation of population to the beginnings of Illinois dailies is of course not to be overlooked; the other less obvious, but more suggestive and almost equally important relation warrants consideration.

The telegraph preceded the railroad in Illinois, despite the internal improvement act of 1837, under which the state undertook to build about one thousand three hundred and forty miles of railroad. As a result of this act a road was built eastward from Meredosia, and the first locomotive in the state was put in use November 8, 1838. The line reached Springfield in 1842; but the engines deteriorated and were abandoned; mules were substituted; and the whole property was sold in 1847.[63] The real introduction of railroads

[63] W. K. Ackerman, *Early Illinois Railroads*, *Fergus Hist. Ser.* No. 23.

came three years later. The telegraph reached the state by two routes in the same year, 1848; one from Philadelphia, Pittsburg, and Cincinnati to St. Louis, touched at the southern part of the state; the other from New York, by way of Cleveland, Toledo, and Detroit, tapped Chicago. The network of lines that spread over the state from 1840 to 1850 was built by Henry C. O'Reilly, as a part of his great Atlantic and Mississippi lines.[64] Starting from St. Louis, these were extended to Alton, Jacksonville, Jerseyville, Carrollton, Springfield, Peoria, Delavan, Peru, Chillicothe, Henry, Ottawa, Morris, Lockport, and thence to Chicago, where connection was made with the line built by Ezra Cornell along the lakes. Another line from St. Louis connected Beardstown, Rushville, Sterling, Quincy, Rock Island, Dixon, and Galena, as well as small intermediate points.[65] By 1850 every important town in Illinois was in telegraphic connection with Chicago and the eastern cities, and Chicago newspapers regularly contained in brief form the news of the previous day from all over the east.

Railroad construction in Illinois really began in 1850, in which year a line was put in operation between Chicago and Elgin; and later continued to Freeport. In 1852 the Michigan Central, the first line to connect Illinois with the East, entered Chicago. The work of construction on the Illinois Central was begun in 1851 and completed to Cairo in 1856; a line from Alton to Springfield was completed in 1853; and from Springfield to Joliet in 1854. By 1860 most of the principal towns were to be reached by railroads. The rapidity with which they were built is suggested by the fact that in February, 1852, there were ninety-five miles of

[64] Alexander Jones, *Historical Sketch of the Electric Telegraph*, 79.
[65] Drown, *Record and Historical View of Peoria*, 1850, p. 122.

road in the state; two years later there were one thousand miles; at the end of 1855 two thousand four hundred ten; and in another year, two thousand seven hundred sixty-one.

How closely the dailies followed the telegraph may be seen by comparing the foregoing statements with the following list:

ILLINOIS DAILIES (Downstate)

Town	Paper	When Established
Quincy,	*Daily Morning Courier*	September 13, 1845
Springfield,	*Illinois State Journal* (d. ed.)	1845
Galena,	*Daily Advertiser*	[66] January 1, 1848
Peoria,	*Daily Register*	June 16, 1848
Springfield,	*State Register* (d. ed.)	January 2, 1849
Peoria,	*Champion*	1849
Quincy,	*Herald* (d. ed.)	1849
Quincy,	*Journal*	1851
Dixon,	*Telegraph*	1851
Quincy,	*Tribune*	1852
Quincy,	*Whig* (d. ed.)	1852
Peoria,	*Daily Morning News*	May 26, 1852
Alton,	*Telegraph*	May 24, 1852
Alton,	*Courier*	May 29, 1852
Peru,	*Chronicle* (d. ed.)	1853
Belleville,	*Eagle*	1853
Belleville,	*Zeitung*	1853
Peoria,	*Republican*	January 17, 1853
Peoria,	*Democratic Press*	1854
Bloomington,	*Pantagraph*	June 19, 1854
Carlyle,	*Daily Democrat*	1854
Rock Island,	*Argus*	1854
Jacksonville,	*Constitutionist*	1854
Springfield,	*Enterprise*	1854
Dixon,	*Daily Whisper*	1855
Rock Island,	*Daily Commercial*	1855
Rock Island,	*Advertiser*	September 13, 1855
Peoria,	*Transcript*	December 17, 1855
Decatur,	*Gazette*	1856
Galena,	*Daily Courier*	January, 1856

[66] E. A. Snively, *Trans. Ill. State Hist. Soc.*, No. 9, p. 207, gives the title as Galena *Gazette*, and the date, June 1, 1847. But v. 4, no. 117 of Galena *Advertiser* (d) is dated October 15, 1851, and other accounts give 1848.

Not all these papers afford such apt evidence of the close relation of the telegraph to the dailies as does the Peoria *Register*. That paper was started on the same day the telegraph line was opened between Peoria and St. Louis, and the first despatch between the two towns was sent by the editor of the *Register* to the editor of the St. Louis *Republican*.[67]

In Chicago, the first daily, the *American*, was established on April 9, 1839, the second in 1840. In the period 1841–1860, inclusive, twenty-eight were begun, including one daily "price current"; of these, ten were still published in 1860. According to compilations made at the various dates, the number of dailies in the state was:

1840	Downstate	1	Chicago	2	Total	3
1850	Downstate	3	Chicago	5	Total	8
1854	Downstate	13	Chicago	7	Total	20
1856	Downstate	10	Chicago	7	Total	17
1860	Downstate	13	Chicago	10	Total	23

This was a formative period of newspapers, as of politics. The violence of party strife which marred the newspapers before and in the campaign of 1840 was not soon mitigated. The Chicago press had shown as yet but a few of the qualities which were developed later. "It was still in its infancy, and an infancy by no means respectable."[68] In 1848 John L. Scripps bought a third interest in the Chicago *Tribune*, and from that date one may fairly say that the Chicago papers began to take on something of tone and character, given to them directly or indirectly by the dignified labor of Scripps. He originated the first distinctive review of the markets of Chicago; he gave distinction and influence to the editorial, and extended the scope of the news

[67] Bess, *Eine Populare Geschichte der Stadt Peoria*, 195.

[68] William Bross, *History of Chicago*, 81.

service. In the winter of 1851–1852 the Whigs of Chicago had a controlling interest in the *Tribune*. Scripps was a Free-Soiler, and something of a Democrat, so he sold his share in the *Tribune*, and with William Bross started the *Democratic Press*, through which he continued to act as a tonic to the press of the city. The *Democratic Press* was Free-Soil, but supported Douglas until the Kansas-Nebraska question drove it, in 1856, into the Republican party, and two years later, into the *Tribune*, which Charles H. Ray made, within this period, the best paper in Illinois, and which increased in prestige under Horace White and Joseph Medill, until it ranked high in American journalism.

Although the press was increasing in efficiency, especially through the establishment of such publications as the *Tribune* and the *Prairie Farmer*, and papers at Bloomington, Princeton, Peoria, Quincy, and Belleville, the general tone, especially of the political press, was still in the greater part violent and partisan. Amid the clatter of party discussions, however, there arose early in the period signs of reaction, of protest, of a demand for rational consideration of politics instead of party affairs. The demand was neither widespread nor loudly voiced, for the general public was far from desiring independent newspapers but individuals, and even communities, were moving in that direction. At Jacksonville, then the most cultured community in the State, the *Illinoisan* had, just before the close of the previous decade, shown better qualities than generally prevailed, but it had passed to the hands of William Hodge in the early forties, and had sunk to the common level. In its place there arose a short-lived but significant independent paper.

"At the suggestion of many friends," Jonathan Baldwin

Turner began on April 29, 1843, to publish the *Illinois Statesman*, and established a fair claim to having set up the first wholly independent newspaper in Illinois. So far as independence was concerned, no one in the state was better equipped than he. Of unusual natural ability, he was well educated, strong minded, and absolutely unafraid of either men or ideas. When in an early number of his paper he said, "It is well known that on many points, both of politics and morals, we disagree with all parties now extant," he made mild acknowledgment of a fact to which every one who knew him would testify. What the *Statesman* was to strive for is suggested by certain passages from the prospectus: "The present depression of the public mind is known and felt by all. . . . It is believed that good men of all parties are anxious, candidly and earnestly to enquire for the true causes and remedies of present ills, and to seek some sure foundation of future action and future hope. . . . In a word, how can we secure to ourselves harmony, peace, and prosperity at home, and respectability abroad — as a community, as a state, and as a nation? . . . We all know but too well, that speculation, officeseeking, demagogues and party spirit, have conspired to plunge us into the gulph. . . . Hence this paper can be devoted to the interests of no party whatever, political, moral, social, or ecclesiastical." Neither was it to attack any party, as such. So, in the face of a generally expressed belief, "that none but a violent, factious, party paper could be sustained" in Jacksonville, the new paper was begun.

But success was from the first clearly impossible. Turner was a pamphleteer, not a journalist. He had no editorial experience, and little interest, even for that day, in a news-

paper for the sake of news. Under the head of "Crimes and Casualties" he printed:[69] "Our paper is small, and if our readers will for the present just have the goodness to imagine a certain due proportion of fires, tornadoes, murders, thefts, robberies and bully fights, from week to week, it will do just as well, for we can assure them they actually take place." Such a news service would have satisfied Thoreau, but did not content the subscribers. On the other hand, the editorial department was strong. The Quincy *Whig* commented facetiously on one of Mr. Turner's thirteen-column editorials, and was told in reply that the actual length was but eleven columns. These editorials dealt carefully and logically, but vigorously and sometimes caustically, with current political topics — slavery, the tariff, and banks — always considered morally or economically, without regard to parties. Agriculture and education were given much attention. The editor flatly refused to write "puffs" for advertisers. In the second number a great national newspaper at Washington was proposed, to represent both political parties, page and page alike. This was to be supplemented by similar papers at each state capital. "The constitution provides for catching runaway negroes, but it makes no provision for informing free white men," thus leaving the press and the people in the hands of demagogues and factions. The national bi-party paper was to "mitigate the ferocity of party zeal," and protect the public from low ribaldry, sophistry, and abuse.

Of course the *Statesman* did not "succeed," and it was discontinued at the end of one year; but it is significant, even in failure, as having thus early voiced a protest still heard, and as having striven for an ideal still but partly achieved.

[69] On July 17, 1843.

The free-soil movement in Illinois gave rise to a number of newspapers between 1842 and 1854. The movement may be said to have centered around the series of papers which included *Genius of Universal Emancipation*, *Genius of Liberty*, and *Free West*, and which were fairly entitled to be called the mouthpieces of the free-soil and abolition movement in the state. But by 1845 others had sprung up, and by 1848, when Van Buren was supported by an imposing list of able and important papers, including the Chicago *Tribune*, free-soil organs were fairly numerous.[70]

On the breaking up of the Whig party a number of newspapers, like many individuals, found difficulty in placing themselves. The Whigs, like the Democrats in Illinois, were divided in two factions. Many Whigs felt that if they were to remain true to their principles, they could not cordially unite with any party then in existence;[71] and many felt that no genuine Whig could join a party founded on the

[70] Liberty and Free-Soil papers in Illinois are enumerated as follows by Mr. T. C. Smith in his "*Liberty and Free-Soil Parties in the Northwest*" (Appendix B, p. 320):

1837	Alton, *Observer*	E. P. Lovejoy
1838–39	Lowell, *Genius of Universal Emancipation*	B. Lundy
1840–42	Lowell, *Genius of Liberty*	Z. Eastman
1842–54	Chicago, *Western Citizen* (with a daily edition, the *Daily News*, 1845; and another, the *Daily Times*, 1852)	Z. Eastman
1848	Chicago, *Tribune*	T. Stewart
1848	Waukegan, *Lake County Chronicle*	A. B. Tobey
1848–50	Rockford, *Free Press*	H. W. DePuy
1849	Waukegan, *Free Democrat*	N. W. Fuller
1850–54	Sparta, *Freeman* (later, *Journal*)	I. S. Coulter
1853–54	Galesburg, *Western Freeman*	W. J. Lane

Other names are those of the Alton *Monitor*, Geneva *Western Mercury*, Princeton *Bureau Advocate*, Quincy *Tribune*, and Peru *Telegraph*, all in 1848. There was one German paper, the Chicago *Staats-Zeitung*, 1848, and one Norwegian *Frihets Banneret*, 1852. There were probably many other ephemeral Free-Soil sheets in 1848; but their activity was so brief that they sank at once into oblivion, along with the pledges of the Illinois "Barnburners."

To Smith's list may be added the Belleville *Freiheitsbote für Illinois*, 1840; Alton *Truth-Seeker*, 1845–46; Elgin *Western Christian*, 1845; Little Fort *Lake County Visiter*, 1847; Greenville *Barnburner*, 1849; Galesburg *Free Democrat*, 1854; and Waukegan *Freeman's Advocate*, 1854–55.

[71] Ormsby, *History of the Whig Party*, 354.

slavery question.[72] Because of the unusual lack of homogeneity in the state, coalition of free Whigs and free Democrats was considerably retarded.

In spite of the popular revolt against Douglas and his bill, neither the free Democrats nor the free Whigs soon seized the opportunity to lead in forming a coalition party, and the free Democrats finally played comparatively little part in the Republican movement in Illinois.[73] When the Nebraska bill was passed the Democratic Chicago *Courant* declared: "The political landmarks can no longer be Whig or Democratic, Free-Soil or Abolitionist, but must be merged into the two great parties, South and North."

In certain localities the free Democrats indicated readiness to form a new party, and a call was issued for a convention in Springfield on October 4 and 5. The meeting proved fruitless, however, and "in this campaign, therefore, the Illinois Free Democrats lost their identity as a party," [74] as well as their opportunity to assume leadership in forming a new one.

The Illinois Whigs were extremely conservative. While the formation of state Republican organizations in Michigan, Wisconsin, and elsewhere was going on in 1854, the *Illinois State Journal* advised against abandoning the Whig organization, and its advice was followed.[75] Hence Illinois had no Republican organization in 1854, although the demand for one was voiced by local conventions at Princeton and elsewhere which declared in favor of organizing. Two years later, in the absence of any party machinery, a

[72] Ormsby, *History of the Whig Party*, 358.
[73] T. C. Smith, *Liberty and Free Soil Parties in the Northwest*, 290, 294, 295.
[74] *Ibid.*
[75] F. A. Flower, *History of the Republican Party*, 206.

number of anti-Nebraska editors of the state held a preliminary convention at Decatur on February 22, 1856.

Early in January there had appeared in the *Morgan Journal* of Jacksonville, edited by Paul Selby, a suggestion for the holding of such a convention to agree on a policy for the approaching campaign. John Moses printed in the *Chronicle* of Winchester the first endorsement of the idea; the *Illinois State Chronicle* of Decatur followed, and suggested Decatur as the meeting place. After some further ratification a formal call was issued, bearing the endorsements of twenty-five papers:

Morgan Journal, Jacksonville
Chronicle, Winchester
Illinois State Chronicle, Decatur
Whig, Quincy
Pike County Free Press, Pittsfield
Gazette, Lacon
Tribune, Chicago
Staats Zeitung, Chicago
Republican, Oquawka
Republican, Peoria
Prairie State, Danville
Advertiser, Rock Island
Journal, Sparta
Fultonian, Vermont
Journal, Quincy
Beacon, Freeport
Pantagraph, Bloomington
True Democrat, Joliet
Telegraph, Lockport
Gazette, Kankakee
Guardian, Aurora
Gazette, Waukegan
Chronicle, Peoria
Advocate, Belleville
Journal, Chicago

As a result of this call a dozen persons were present at the opening meeting, including Dr. Charles H. Ray, Chicago *Tribune;* George Schneider, Chicago *Staats Zeitung;* V. Y. Ralston, Quincy *Whig;* O. P. Wharton, Rock Island *Advertiser;* Thomas J. Pickett, Peoria *Republican;* E. C. Daugherty, Rockford *Register;* E. W. Blaisdell, Rockford *Republican;* Charles Faxon, Princeton *Post;* A. N. Ford, Lacon *Gazette;* B. F. Shaw, Dixon *Telegraph;* W. J. Usrey, Decatur *Chronicle;* Paul Selby, *Morgan Journal.* Paul Selby

was made chairman and W. J. Usrey, secretary. The only outsider admitted to the deliberations of the convention was Abraham Lincoln, who was in conference nearly all day with the committee on resolutions, made up of Messrs. Ray, Schneider, Ralston, Wharton, Daugherty, and Pickett. This committee drafted a platform and appointed a state central committee, on the call of which the first Republican state convention in Illinois was held at Bloomington, May 29, 1856.[76]

The great series of debates between Lincoln and Douglas, and the other political movements centering in these two men and leading to the nomination of Lincoln at Chicago, make the Illinois newspapers between 1856 and 1860 important sources of the history of a most critical national era. Through the newspapers have been preserved most of the speeches made by Lincoln all over the state in those years; yet the instances are many in which the papers reported in detail the reception of Lincoln, the procession to the fairgrounds, the menu of the picnic dinner, and recounted the incident in which Lincoln insisted on yielding his seat of honor to some humble admirer, but gave no word of his address except to mention for how many minutes or hours he spoke. This is true even of some of that large class made up of first papers to suggest Abraham Lincoln for the presidency.

Nothing short of a history of political parties in Illinois would serve to present the situation in the state between 1854 and the war. Nor is it possible to set forth in detail the way in which the newspapers reflected the shaping of political affairs. In general it may be said, however, that

[76] This account of the Decatur and Bloomington meetings is based on a letter dated January 2, 1910, from Mr. Paul Selby to the writer, and on Mr. Selby's article in the Chicago *Tribune* of February 22, 1906.

in Illinois Whig papers became Republican, and Democratic papers, less generally, remained Democratic.[77] In the border states many Whig papers became Democratic, including the St. Louis *Republican*, which circulated largely in southern Illinois, and the Louisville, Kentucky, *Journal*. There were some such changes in Illinois. The Jacksonville *Sentinel* changed from Whig to Democratic in 1856; the Knoxville *Journal* and Clinton *Courier*, formerly Independent, became Democratic in 1855, the Decatur *Gazette* made the same change in 1856, the Pana *Herald* in 1858; and the Pekin *Tazewell Register*, which had been Republican, altered to Democratic in the same year, as did the Peoria *Transcript* in 1859. On the other hand, the breach in the Democratic ranks, especially in the northern part of the state, was more marked. The Galena *Jeffersonian*, then under the editorship of Dr. Charles H. Ray, afterwards editor of the Chicago *Tribune*, took strong ground against the Kansas-Nebraska bill, though it afterward drifted back into the ranks of the Douglas Democracy. But many staunch Democratic papers revolted at that measure. Even the *Southern Illinoisan*, of Shawneetown, left Douglas on that point, and became Republican. Likewise the Aurora *Guardian*, Belvidere *Standard*, Peoria *Banner*, Canton *Register*, Belleville *Advocate*, and the influential German paper, Belleville *Zeitung*, altered their affiliations between 1856

[77] The situation in 1856 is thus described by Gustav Koerner: "Nearly all prominent Northern Democrats had joined the Republican party, as well as a great majority of the former Whigs. Nearly all the leading papers advocated the Republican ticket, the Chicago *Tribune*, the *Evening Journal*, the German *Staats Zeitung*. In the middle of the state it was quite different. A great many of the Whigs, who had come from the Southern states, turned Democrats on the slavery question. It was only in a few counties [in the southern part] such as Madison, and above all St. Clair, that the large majority of the Democrats joined the Republican party, and this was largely owing to the preponderance of the German vote. The most southern part of the state was almost unanimous against the Republicans." *Memoirs*, II, 22.

and 1858 from Democratic, either to Free-Soil and then to Republican, or directly to Republican.

These are but isolated instances of changes either way. A large number of hitherto independent papers were drawn to one side or the other. Apparently in this the Republican forces had the advantage. In the starting of new papers, on the contrary, and perhaps partly as a result of defections from the ranks of Democratic papers, the Democrats outnumbered the Republicans, in 1857, 1858, and 1859, at a ratio of about two to one. A large number of these papers were brief campaign affairs, however, and they did not materially change the ratio as far as permanent papers were concerned.

FROM 1861 TO 1870

The Civil War greatly affected the newpapers and the newspaper situation, and set in motion certain developments that were not fully worked out until after the close of the period with which this paper deals. The stress and conflict of public opinion, and popular anxiety for news from the armies and from Washington not only revolutionized the practice of reporting and revised the form and makeup of papers; it made dailies out of weeklies, and overcame pious scruples against Sunday editions.[78]

The immediate effect was on circulation. The papers of the larger towns and especially of Chicago were affected very advantageously. The circulation of the *Tribune* rose from 18,000 in 1861 to 40,000 in 1864, and other papers showed like increases. John Wentworth, who, in a panic at the prospect of war, sold his *Democrat* lest he should be

[78] For points in this and the preceding section the writer is indebted to Mr. Paul Selby, of Chicago, Mr. Ensley Moore, of Jacksonville, Mr. Horace White of New York City, and Mr. J. W. Merritt of Springfield.

ruined, saw that journal help to swell the increasing tide of subscriptions to a height hardly thought of before. The war put the Chicago newspapers for the first time on a really money-making basis. Those outside of Chicago, located in the larger towns and sufficiently well established to take advantage of the desire for immediate news in detail, were also given a fresh impetus.

There were few dailies in the state outside of Chicago, and none of them could compete with those of that city and St. Louis in furnishing news from the front and from Washington. "We had no daily here till 1866," writes a citizen [79] of Jacksonville, "so our people got the *State Journal* or *Register* for breakfast, the St. Louis papers for dinner, at one time, and the Chicago papers for supper." The Chicago and St. Louis papers gained at that time a circulation all over the state which they have never lost. Yet the larger dailies throughout the state held their own, and received their share of prosperity.

Smaller papers, or papers in the smaller towns not able to get telegraphic news, or not favorably situated for receiving news promptly from other sources, suffered both from the competition of papers of the larger towns and from the great rise in the price of paper, which came as a direct result of war.

The numerical status of newspapers in the state was seriously affected. The two causes just mentioned, and others, operated to decrease the number of papers, and as a result, we find a situation of unexampled prosperity on the one hand, and of poverty, decline, and extinction on the other. Beginning with 1861 there was a sharp decline in

[79] Mr. Ensley Moore.

the annual number of papers started. From 1854 to 1860 inclusive there was no year in which fewer than thirty-six were begun in the state outside of Chicago. In 1859 and in 1860 the number was forty-four. In 1861 just half as many appeared, and the three following years showed eighteen, twenty-six, and thirty-three respectively. Not until 1865, with forty-five new papers, did the rate of increase reach normal. In the towns outside of Chicago a notable exception to this general depression was Cairo, which, as an important troop station and a gateway to the south, saw its greatest newspaper activity between 1861 and 1865.

All told, one hundred and forty-four downstate papers were started in the war years. In the same years a total of one hundred and fifty-five papers went out of business permanently or were suspended until after the war, so that at the close of 1865, in spite of the forty-five started in that year, there were fewer in the state than at the beginning of 1861. Many were abandoned by their editors or publishers, who went into the army; others, by the same means left in incompetent hands, soon failed. No inconsiderable number had taken so vigorous a stand on the losing side that they could neither hold their own against or follow the turning tide of public sympathy. This was especially true in the southern part of the state, where public opinion was powerfully influenced by the conduct of John A. Logan and John A. McClernand. Some of these Democratic papers became Republican; more stayed in the party, but advocated the Union cause; a considerable number were unable to convince their subscribers that a newspaper, like an individual, may in all sincerity change its fealty, and so were snuffed out; still others steadfastly held to their earlier principles, but expounded them moderately.

Forcible discontinuance or interruption was the lot of at least eight papers as a direct result of radical expressions of opinion. Papers at Bloomington, Chester, Chicago, Jonesboro, Maroa, Mason, Mendota, and Olney were attacked by mobs or authorities, and in some cases the plants were destroyed. The attempt of General Burnside to suppress the Chicago *Times* is the most important instance in Illinois of official action against newspapers in the exciting days of civil conflict.

After the proclamation of emancipation had been issued the *Times* was so bitter in its denunciation of the administration that the paper soon earned the designation of "copperhead sheet," and aroused an intense hostility against it and its owner. General Ambrose E. Burnside, in command of the Department of the Northwest, with headquarters at Cincinnati, issued an order for the suppression of the *Times*, and the commander at Camp Douglas was charged with the execution of the order. On the morning of June 3, 1863, soldiers marched into the press-room and took possession of the establishment. About eight thousand papers had been printed, a part of which were destroyed, but the larger part of which were issued. No edition was permitted on June 4. A great mass meeting was held in the Courthouse Square on the evening of June 3, in advocacy of free speech and a free press. A meeting was also held during the day in the circuit court room, at which a petition to the President to revoke the order was signed by all present, including many prominent Republicans and business men; and Senator Lyman Trumbull and Isaac N. Arnold telegraphed personally to Mr. Lincoln to the same effect. The order was revoked June 4, and publication was resumed on June 5. The policy of the *Times* was not changed;

its circulation, as General Grant had foreseen, was augmented by official interference.[80]

The first downstate paper to encounter opposition by force was the Mendota *Times*, established in 1859 by a Mr. Fisk as a Democratic and pro-slavery sheet. Early in 1861 Fisk was declared to be a copperhead and was forced by a recruiting company to make a speech for the Union and to haul up a Union flag. Threatened with worse treatment, he

[80] Andreas, *History of Chicago*, Vol. 2, p. 495; Rhodes, IV, 253–254.

The action of General Burnside, although at once revoked by President Lincoln, was by no means precipitate; and it was in accord, in spirit at least, with the feeling of many other officials, both civil and military. As early as June 25, 1862, Governor Morton of Indiana wrote to Secretary of War Stanton of an organization of disaffected citizens in Indiana who he believed were likely to cause trouble by carrying out their purpose to circulate and encourage "newspapers of extremely doubtful loyalty," including the Chicago *Times*. On August 7, 1862, Governor Yates wrote to Secretary Stanton: "There is an urgent and almost unanimous demand from the loyal citizens that the Chicago *Times* should be immediately suppressed for giving aid and comfort to the enemy. I solicit an immediate answer. Do not delay, for I fear the people will take into their hands the power which should only be used under the authority of your department."

Major Generals C. S. Hamilton and Stephen A. Hurlbut on February 8, 1863, issued orders prohibiting the circulation of the Chicago *Times* in their commands. General Grant, writing to Hurlbut February 13, 1863, concerning this order, expressed what was probably the general feeling of Union army officers on the subject:

"I have seen your General Orders, No. 4, February 8, prohibiting the circulation of the Chicago *Times* within your command. There is no doubt but that paper, with several others published in the North, should have been suppressed long since by authority from Washington. As this has not been done, I doubt the propriety of suppressing its circulation in any one command. The paper would still find its way into the hands of the enemy, through other channels, and do all the mischief it is now doing.

"This course is also calculated to give the paper a notoriety evidently sought, and which probably would increase the sale of it. I would direct, therefore, that General Orders, No. 4, be revoked."

The order of Major General Burnside (General Orders No. 84) was issued on June 1, 1863, to prohibit the circulation of the New York *World* in the Department of the Ohio, and to stop the publication of the *Times*. That part relating to the Chicago paper was worded:

"On account of the repeated expression of disloyal and incendiary sentiments, the publication of the newspaper known as the Chicago *Times* is hereby suppressed." Brigadier General Jacob Ammen, commanding the District of Illinois was charged with executing that order.

On June 4 Secretary Stanton issued General Order No. 91, directed to General Burnside: "By direction of the President of the United States, the order suppressing the publication of the Chicago *Times* is hereby revoked." This order of revocation was issued in response very largely to the resolutions sent on June 3, from Chicago, signed by fourteen prominent citizens, including Mayor F. C. Sherman,

soon abandoned his paper and disappeared.[81] The next paper to suffer was the Bloomington *Times*, which under the care of J. and B. F. Snow showed such marked Southern proclivities and uttered so many expressions of sympathy for the Southern states that a McLean County regiment (94th Illinois Volunteers), abetted by prominent citizens, destroyed the office, type, and press and incidentally the paper. This occurred in August, 1862.[82] A temporary suppression without violence or material damage was enforced against the Jonesboro *Gazette* in the spring of 1863. Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph H. Newbold was sent to Jonesboro with a part of the 14th Iowa Volunteer Infantry to

and endorsed: "We respectfully ask for the above [resolutions] the serious and prompt consideration of the President.

Lyman Trumbull,
Isaac M. Arnold."

President Lincoln's attitude is explained and other points are suggested by a letter from the President to Arnold, dated May 25, 1865:

"In regard to the order of General Burnside suspending the Chicago *Times*, now nearly a year ago, I can only say I was embarrassed with the question between what was due to the military service on the one hand, and the liberty of the press on the other, and I believe it was the despatch of Senator Trumbull and yourself, added to the proceedings of the meeting which it brought me, that turned the scale in favor of my revoking the order.

"I am far from certain to-day that the revocation was not right; and I am very sure that the small part you took in it is no just ground to disparage your judgment, much less to impugn your motives. I take it that your devotion to the Union and the administration cannot be questioned by any sincere man." Nicolay and Hay, *Complete Works of Abraham Lincoln*, X, 108.

Whether this letter indicates such feeling or not, there was much feeling that a mistake had been made in allowing the *Times* to continue publication. This view was forcibly expressed by the Chicago *Tribune* and many other papers. Reviewing, in his final report, his work as Acting Assistant Provost Marshal General in Illinois, James Oakes wrote, August 9, 1865:

"But the grand cause — the only really guilty and formidable source of the dangers through which Illinois has passed — is to be found in the steady streams of political poison and arrant treason which have been permitted to flow from the wicked, reckless, and debauched newspaper press of the state.

". . . Chief among these instigators of insurrection and treason, the foul and damnable reservoir which supplied the lesser sewers with political filth, falsehood, and treason, has been the Chicago *Times*."

For official communications here cited, see *Official Records, War of the Rebellion*, Ser. I, Vol. 23, pp. 381, 385, 386; Vol. 24, pp. 41, 50; Ser. III, Vol. 3, p. 252; Vol. 5, pp. 837, 838.

[81] *History of LaSalle County, Illinois* (2 vols., Chi., 1886), I, 375.

[82] *History of McLean County, Illinois* (Chicago, 1879), p. 298.

gather up and return to the service a number of deserters from the 109th Illinois who had returned to their homes. His work was seriously impeded by the radical utterances of the *Gazette*, which, like a majority of its constituents, was bitterly against the war. Consequently he closed the office during the six weeks of his stay. Colonel Newbold so conducted himself, however, as to make many warm friends, and helped materially to change local sentiment toward the Government. As a resident of Jonesboro, still living, has written, "the episode turned out very well."

The *Loyalist*, an extreme advocate of abolitionism, was established by George Brewster at Mason, Effingham County, in April, 1863. His radical utterances caused bitter feeling, and in nine months resulted in his being forced to leave. He was allowed to remove his establishment. The *Picket Guard* of Chester suffered more severely on the other side. John R. Shannon, the editor, found fault vituperatively with the measures adopted to suppress the rebellion. He became so extremely abusive that a body of soldiers broke into the office in July, 1864, and threw the type into the streets. The press was not seriously injured, and the office was refitted.[83] At Olney the Democratic press was broken up by a mob of soldiers and its publication was discontinued. A similar explosion of wrath at Maroa hung fire until 1867. There one T. J. Sharp began a Democratic *Times*, in January. His published expressions of discontent with the results of the war brought him into collision with various citizens, by whom he was badly beaten on November 27 and ordered to leave town. He did so, leaving also his printing equipment.[84] Other papers than these mentioned

[83] *History of Randolph, Monroe, and Perry Counties, Illinois* (1883), p. 197.

[84] *Counties of Cumberland, Jasper, and Richland, Illinois, Historical and Biographical* (1884), p. 658.

escaped similar treatment by temporary suspensions or by change of editors or policies.

Several instances of threatened violence to editors or their establishments which occurred previous to this time are mentioned here for want of a better place. The earliest, probably, was that in Vandalia in February, 1823, which has already been discussed.[85] The *Illinois Republican* at Springfield, an energetic Democratic paper to which Stephen A. Douglas as a young man was a contributor, was, in 1837, twice attacked by a mob, of which the sheriff of the county was a member. The mob was prevented from doing destruction only by the vigorous defense offered by the Webers, owners of the property.[86] In June, 1841, Ogle County "regulators" shot to death John and William Driscoll, two notorious horsethieves and outlaws. Philander Knappen, editor of the Rockford *Star*, denounced the execution editorially and printed a communication of similar import. Soon afterward three citizens, with the approval of public opinion, made pi of all type in the office. Knappen abandoned journalism in Rockford.

The destruction of the office equipment of the Nauvoo *Expositor*, though the result of a factional disturbance among the Mormons, and not connected with any general

[85] See p. xlvii, note.

[86] A bit of the reminiscences of an old settler, published in 1871 and quoted in *History of Sangamon County, Illinois* (1881), pp. 225–224:

In 1837 Dr. Henry was one of the commissioners superintending the construction of the new State House in Springfield and a frequent contributor to the *Sangamo Journal*. Stephen A. Douglas was at the same time writing for the *Illinois Republican* and in several anonymous articles he attacked Dr. Henry and his official work. A committee of friends of Henry called upon the editor of the *Journal* to demand the name of the author, but the editor dispersed them with a vigorous use of his fists. Douglas, who witnessed the affair, wrote a highly colored account which the paper published. As a result the office was attacked by a mob, led by the sheriff, on two successive days, June 27 and 28, 1837, but the proprietors, with Douglas and other friends, beat them off. The sheriff was stabbed in the fray on the second day, fainted, and was carried home. That ended the riots. "These things gave notoriety to the paper."

stress of public opinion, was a part of the lawlessness that resulted in the death of Joseph and Hyrum Smith. In 1844 the despotism of Joseph Smith, leader of the Mormons in Hancock County, with Nauvoo as their holy city, became unbearable to a considerable number of his followers, who revolted. In order to publish the causes of their revolt and to disclose the iniquities of Smith and his Danite band and other new ecclesiastical inventions, these men established a newspaper, the Nauvoo *Expositor*. The first and only issue appeared Friday, June 7, 1844. It was published by William Law, Wilson Law, Charles Ivins, Francis M. Higbee, Chauncey L. Higbee, Robert D. Foster, and Charles A. Foster, with Sylvester Emmons as editor, and contains the preamble, resolutions, and affidavits of the seceders from the church at Nauvoo. On June 10 the city council declared the *Expositor* a nuisance and directed the mayor to have the establishment removed, which he did.[87] For this destructive act Joseph Smith and sixteen others were, after a week's delay, arrested on a charge of riot. "After a long and close examination they were all discharged."[88] In the meantime the dissenting publishers of the *Expositor*, apparently not awaiting the pretty farce by which Smith's mayor and magistrate gave a resemblance of legal consider-

[87] The order of removal was worded thus:

You are hereby commanded to destroy the printing press from whence issues the Nauvoo *Expositor* and pi the type of said printing establishment in the street, and burn all the *Expositors* and libelous handbills found in said establishment, and if resistance be offered to your execution of this order, by the owners or others, demolish the house, and if any one threatens you, or the mayor, or the officers of the city, arrest those who threaten you, and fail not to execute this order without delay, and make due return hereon.

By order of the City Council,
Joseph Smith, Mayor.

In a proclamation printed in the same issue of the *Neighbor*, Smith deemed the paper filthy and pestilential, and its publishers a set of unprincipled scoundrels, blacklegs, counterfeiters, debauchees, and villainous demagogues.

[88] Nauvoo *Neighbor*, June 19, 1844.

ation and approval to the acts destroying the paper, had taken themselves safely away. Smith's paper records their flight by noting that the persons concerned in the *Expositor* have all left Nauvoo, and that *the guilty fleeth when no man pursueth.*[89]

The war played an important part not only in the changes that came in the character, number, and circulation of papers; it was more or less directly the cause of three important items in the development of the machinery of news-gathering and newspaper making. These were the inventions of the patent inside, the organization of the business that became the Western News Company, and the formation of the Western Associated Press.

In July, 1861, A. N. Kellogg, publisher of the Baraboo, Wisconsin, *Republic*, finding that in consequence of the enlistment of his patriotic journeymen he would be unable to issue a full sheet on the regular day, ordered of the *Daily Journal* office at Madison a number of half-sheet supplements printed on both sides with war news to fold with his own half-sheets. While mailing his edition it occurred to him that if the awkward fact of his paper's being in two pieces could be obviated an excellent paper could be regularly issued with a decided saving of labor and expense. As a consequence, he issued, on July 12, 1861, the first sheet with "patent inside." The idea was at once taken up by the Madison *Journal*, then by the Milwaukee *Wisconsin*, and in August, 1865, by Mr. Kellogg himself in Chicago. G. F. Kimball of the Belleville *Advocate* began to print insides in 1866.[90] By 1880 twenty-one establishments were supplying 3,238 papers, most of them in the

[89] Nauvoo *Neighbor*, June 19, 1844.

[90] Geo. P. Rowell, *The Men Who Advertise*, (N. Y., 1870), pp. 206–207.

western states. Although the idea originated in Wisconsin and has been developed in all parts of the country, Kellogg and Chicago have remained the center of the industry, which has grown to enormous size.

As Chicago was the center of the patent inside industry, it was natural that Illinois newspapers should make more general use of the idea than those of other states. The effect was not marked in the first few years, but by the later seventies nearly one-half of the smaller country weeklies were "co-operative," to use the word by which such papers were designated in the newspaper directories. Many of them, no doubt, would not have been established had not this invention greatly reduced the cost of production.

The Western News Company grew out of the system organized by a young and energetic Chicago newsdealer, John R. Walsh, to build up a business on the increased demand for prompt delivery of newspapers and periodicals due to the war excitement. The system that now distributes nearly all of the copies of the larger papers in the country was begun by James Gordon Bennett, with the New York *Herald*, in 1835. Out of his idea grew the American News Company and rivals, most of which were absorbed. Until 1861 the business of distributing not only New York, but Chicago papers was carried on by that company with headquarters in New York City. In that year, however, Walsh opened a news depot in Chicago to capture the business of the middle west, and commenced to supply the outlying towns of Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, and Iowa. Newsdealers in those states soon found that they could get their newspapers from Walsh twelve hours earlier than from the American News Company, and twenty-four hours earlier than by mail.[91] Walsh soon had all of the business, and kept

[91] Andreas, *History of Chicago*, II, 500–501.

it throughout the war. By this time he was distributing fully one-half of the total issue of the *Tribune* and the *Times*.[92] This competition led to negotiations which resulted, in 1866, in the absorption of his business by the older company, of which it became the first branch, with Walsh as manager.

The war had brought prosperity to the Chicago papers, and had shown very clearly the need, in that news center, of a press association which would do for the Chicago and other middle western papers what the American News Association was doing for those of New York. On the initiative largely of Joseph Medill, of the Chicago *Tribune*, a meeting was held at Louisville, Kentucky, on November 22 and 23, 1865, at which the Western Associated Press was formed. Horace White, managing editor of the *Tribune*, was made a member of the executive committee.

The forming of this association not only meant co-operative use of telegraph news among the papers that held membership, but, also through co-operation with the New York Association, it greatly broadened, at a minimum cost, the news resources of both the western and the eastern papers. Without such associations the telegraph would never have been able to keep pace with the demands of the press, and the telegraphic news service of anything like the scope attained even by 1870 would have been possible only for the largest and wealthiest papers. The effect of this organization and its successor, the Associated Press, upon the number of papers fully equipped with news service, particularly the daily papers, of course, is not to be overlooked. One direct result was to make a close corporation of the newspapers already existing in any particular place, and to render it almost impossible to start a new newspaper

[92] Hudson, *History of Journalism*, 204.

that could compete with them, inasmuch as the newspaper could not get the Associated Press dispatches without their consent.[93]

Immediately following the close of the war there was a serious decline in newspaper prosperity. The number of papers started year by year at this time increases, but the figures do not signify healthy growth. The Chicago papers declined in circulation to a point not much beyond that of 1861, and never fully regained their circulation until after the fire. The papers of the larger towns, owing to improved telegraphic service, the rapid growth of the towns, and other causes, did not suffer severely. The country press, on the whole, however, began then a decline in quality that has continued to a large extent to the present time. That decline is not quantitative; it does not include many of the daily papers, nor by any means all of the country weeklies in the state. But the increasing encroachment of the dailies of Chicago and the other larger cities of the state have taken away much of the prosperity and the influence of a large proportion of the country press, the quality of which has consequently declined.

In spite of the various causes that operated against the newspapers between 1860 and 1870, however, there was a remarkable increase in their number. The census returns for 1860 show a total, of all classes, of 286, of which twenty-three were dailies, six tri-weeklies, two semi-weeklies, 238 weeklies, and seventeen monthlies.[94] By 1870 these figures had grown to thirty-nine dailies, ten tri-weeklies, four semi-weeklies, 364 weeklies, eleven semi-monthlies, seventy-two monthlies, and three quarterlies — a total of 505, a remarkable

[93] Andreas, *History of Chicago*, III, 706.

[94] Kenney, in his *American Newspaper Directory and Record of the Press*, records 453 papers in Illinois in 1861, but his list is grossly inaccurate.

increase over the 286 in 1860. Perhaps the most noticeable features of this comparison are the slight increase in dailies and the great increase in monthlies. The actual numerical increase in dailies between 1850 and 1860 was less by only one paper than that between 1860 and 1870. The additional monthly publications, largely in Chicago, were one of the indications of the growing importance of that city as a publishing center.

FROM 1871 TO 1879

The very bulk of the issue of the newspaper and periodical press in the last decade to be considered makes impossible here a treatment much more than merely statistical. This was a time of great numerical increase; it comprehends the great Chicago fire of October, 1871; the dismal year of 1876, perhaps the worst in the whole history of Illinois newspapers; the rise of the daily to great importance; and the growth of the Chicago press into truly "metropolitan" proportions.

The whole list for 1870 was 505.[95] The following decade more than doubled that, showing in 1880 a total of 1,017, divided into seventy-four dailies, six tri-weeklies, seventeen semi-weeklies, 758 weeklies, eighteen semi-monthlies, 118 monthlies, and twenty-two quarterlies. The number of papers in the state each year of this decade is shown by Rowell's newspaper directory to have been as follows:[96] 1870, 422; 1871, 499; 1872, 518; 1873, 544; 1874, 588; 1875, 642; 1876, 707; 1877, 709; 1878, 716; 1879, 732; 1880, 832. It will be noticed that 1877 had but two more

[95] The totals include a few semi-annual and annual publications of which no note is taken in the analysis.

[96] In comparing these figures with those of the census reports bear in mind that Rowell's figures are made up at least six months earlier than the census figures. Rowell's number for 1871, for instance, is really for 1870.

papers than 1876. In the United States as a whole there were one hundred and seventy-one fewer newspapers at the beginning of 1877 than there were one year earlier. "It is apparent," wrote Rowell's editor in 1877, "that the last twelve months have, in a financial sense, been unusually unsatisfactory to newspaper publishers. Partly by reason of the excitements and hopes incidental to a national election of an unaccustomed order, a sufficient number of newspapers have come into being to have maintained the total number reported in 1876, had there not been, in addition to the eventual suspension of many of the newspapers, also an unusual mortality among those already established. Journalistic prosperity, however, is not to be judged by the number of papers that are established within a given period, but by the number that maintain their existence; and the centennial year has undeniably been one of extended pecuniary oppression among the men that publish papers." This "pecuniary oppression" seems to have dwelt most heavily on the dailies, which were reduced in number from fifty in 1876 to forty-seven in 1877.

The Chicago publishing equipment was almost totally destroyed by the fire of October 9–12, 1871, in which every newspaper establishment was burned out. Yet the larger daily papers all appeared, in small sheets, within forty-eight hours. The *Journal* issued an extra, a small three-column sheet printed on one side, on October 9; the issue of October 10, printed at a small job office that had been spared by the flames, announced that the *Evening Post* would be issued that day, and that the *Tribune* would be issued on the next, October 11. The *Inter-Ocean* got out a number on October 10; the *Republican* and the *Mail* appeared on the 12th. No important daily paper suspended

publication permanently on account of the fire, but a number of weekly and monthly periodicals were never revived. Others, especially several that had New York offices, were moved to that city. As an early consequence of the fire, therefore, the number of publications in the city was considerably reduced. But those that remained partook of the great revival of the city as a whole; out of the ashes grew the great and real prosperity of the Chicago dailies, and of the Chicago press in general.

The increase in the daily press in this decade is important numerically. The totals for each year are:

	Outside of Chicago	Chicago [97]	Total
1870	23	10	33
1871	26	12	38
1872	25	11	36
1873	26	11	37
1874	25	11	36
1875	28	11	39
1876	36	14	50
1877	32	15	47
1878	35	15	50
1879	42	12	54
1880	52	15	67 [98]

The slow growth of daily newspapers until toward the end of the period contrasts sharply with their rapid increase later. In fact, the close of the decade marks the real beginning of their most rapid growth in the state at large. This growth is naturally affected directly by the increase of population in the towns. The minimum population on which a daily can be supported was once set by Horace Greeley at about ten thousand, but at the time he gave that

[97] Includes daily market reports, etc.

[98] *Census Report* shows 74 a few months later.

testimony there were papers in this country supported by communities of less than half that size. Since that time the number has considerably decreased, so far as the town of publication is concerned; but taken in connection with the rural population upon which the small dalies have come more and more to depend, the decrease has been slight. At present, indeed, it is apparently increasing, rather than diminishing. The relation of population to daily papers in Illinois in 1880 was shown by the census report as follows:

DAILY NEWSPAPERS AND POPULATION IN 1880

Location	Population	Number of Dailies
Adams County	59,135	
Quincy	27,268	4
Alexander County	14,808	
Cairo	9,011	3
Coles County	27,042	
Mattoon	5,737	1
Cook County	607,524	
Chicago	503,185	18
Dekalb County	26,768	
Sycamore	3,028	1
Hancock County	35,337	
Warsaw	3,105	1
Jo Daviess County	27,528	
Galena	6,451	1
Kane County	44,939	
Aurora	11,873	2
Elgin	8,787	2
Knox County	38,344	
Galesburg	11,437	2
LaSalle County	70,403	
Ottawa	7,834	2
Logan County	25,037	
Lincoln	5,639	2

Location	Population	Number of Dailies
McLean County	60,100	
Bloomington	17,180	2
Macon County	30,665	
Decatur	9,547	2
Madison County	50,126	
Alton	8,975	2
Morgan County	31,514	
Jacksonville	10,927	1
Peoria County	55,355	
Peoria	29,259	6
Rock Island County	38,302	
Moline	7,800	1
Rock Island	11,659	2
St. Clair County	66,806	
Belleville	10,683	3
Sangamon County	52,894	
Springfield	19,743	4
Stephenson County	31,963	
Freeport	8,516	2
Vermillion County	41,588	
Danville	7,733	3
Will County	53,422	
Joliet	11,657	4
Winnebago County	30,505	
Rockford	13,129	3
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The daily papers of the state have shown a tendency steadily toward afternoon rather than morning issues. That tendency first took definite form in this decade between 1871 and 1880. At the beginning of it, the numbers of morning and afternoon issues in the state were almost equal. Of the forty-two downstate dailies in 1878, thirteen were morning and twenty-nine were evening. In Chicago,

eight were morning and four were evening. The tendency in the smaller cities has continued toward evening papers.[99] This is doubtless due to the growth and the improved distributing facilities of the Chicago and St. Louis morning papers, and to the cheap "pony" news service offered by the Scripps-McRae, and, later, the United Press Associations, as well as others that have been organized since 1900. On the other hand, since 1900 there has been an increase in the number and importance of downstate morning dailies. This increase has come from cities which have become large enough to support papers holding Associated Press franchises. These papers are, as afternoon papers are not, able to compete with the Chicago papers, and will doubtless be an increasingly important feature of Illinois journalism as the number of larger cities in the state is augmented. At the same time the situation is complicated by the help being rendered the afternoon papers by more efficient telegraphic news service, and by the greatly increasing importance of the telephone as an ally of the afternoon press.

The lower price that came with the general introduction of wood-pulp in the manufacture of paper, and the increased activity in the patent-inside industry helped upward the figures of both daily and weekly papers. The decline in the quality of many of the country weeklies, mentioned in the next preceding section, was remarkable in this last decade. This came with the more general use of the patent

[99] The increase in the number of papers, by decades, 1880 to 1900, is shown in the following table:

	Total	Dailies	Morning	Evening	Tri-W'kly	Semi-W'kly	Weekly	Monthly	Quafterly	Others
1880	1017	74	30	44	6	17	758	118	21	23
1890	1241	121	44	77	2	20	858	182	29	29
1900	1548	197	44	153	4	72	1008	219	23	23

For much similar statistical information covering this period — 1880 to 1900, see *Report 12th U. S. Census*, v. 9.

inside, which convenience was, by the later seventies, used by nearly one-half of the weeklies in the smaller towns.

The patent inside was chiefly used by papers newly starting in business; but it has no doubt prolonged the life of many a paper that would otherwise have suffered extinction, perhaps not in all cases undeserved. There was something to be said in favor of the patent inside; more, of course, before the development of the stereotyped plate matter which has almost entirely superseded the earlier scheme of economy, than later. It supplied material often of a respectable quality which would otherwise have been out of reach of the country editor. Matter of special interest and often of value to the country population was thus furnished; good fiction and less good was disseminated. But granting the patent inside full credit of economy, convenience, and respectability, it nevertheless lowered the quality of the country weekly. Up to the time of the Civil War, however violent or crude the tone in many instances, the country press had individuality of character, and in its own community was as real and definite a force as the great papers of the era of personal journalism were in larger spheres. More than half of the influence of the paper was dissipated when half of its pages were filled and printed by "outsiders." It does not seem that this should necessarily have been true, for the editor still had two pages at his command; but it was true, nevertheless. Many papers, indeed, kept aloof from the patent inside, retained their individuality — and their advertising space — and have steadily improved, as the press as a whole has improved; others have grown into dailies; still others, after more or less brief careers as "co-operatives," have recovered their individuality, and become again "all home print." But it must be recorded that in

the years just following the war there began in Illinois that class of papers which, unlike many that preceded the war or survived it, are of mere numerical importance in the story of the Illinois press. That class grew and flourished most numerously in this period between 1870 and 1880.

The numerical increase was fostered also by a usage developed in this decade by which papers for small towns in surrounding territory were printed at a central office. A typical instance is that of the Joliet *Phoenix*, which was the home office of a brood of Phoenixes bearing date-lines of Lockport, Wilmington, Lemont, Braidwood, Peotone, and Plainfield. Such papers have at least three pages in common. A local editor supplies some news from each town, which, with the name, is all of the one paper that differs from all the others.

Another mechanical aid to the development of the newspaper industry which was contributed by Illinois in this period, was the folder, which made the web perfecting press a possibility. The invention was made by Walter Scott, who was at that time foreman of the machinery department of the Chicago *Inter-Ocean*. The Bullock presses of the establishment were promptly equipped with the new invention, and thus the *Inter-Ocean* was the first paper to be printed on a perfecting press.[100]

The political aspect of the period will have to be passed entirely, except for a word concerning the Granger movement and the Greenback party, which stirred the press, usually the rural press, of the country in the late seventies and early eighties.

Perhaps a score of Illinois papers supported Greeley in 1872, including such influential ones as the Chicago *Tribune*

[100] D. W. Lusk, *Politics and Politicians of Illinois*, 514.

and Belleville *Zeitung*. Of these a considerable number then became identified with the Granger movement; within 1873 and 1874 several new Granger and anti-monopolist papers were started, but most of the supporters of these causes were recruits from the old parties. Such papers were to be found at Macomb, Bloomington, Salem, Oregon, Decatur, Hillsboro, Woodstock, and elsewhere. Usually the Granger papers lasted but two years, some not so long, a few considerably longer. At least half of them had become Greenback before 1876, and, with others, brought to the support of Peter Cooper at least thirty papers in the state. Some of these had rather fantastic idiosyncrasies. The *Unicorn Greenback* at Barry was written almost entirely in verse; the *Greenback Gazette* at Chester was printed on green paper. There was a lull in Greenback journalism between 1876 and 1878, but in the latter year and 1879 sixteen new papers, and as many other recruits, together with those that had survived from before the earlier campaign, gave Weaver the support of forty papers in Illinois, including such as the Pontiac *Free Trader*, *Morgan Monitor* of Jacksonville, *Golden Era* of McLeansboro, and *New Era* of Woodstock which were not originally Greenback. A considerable number were established to support that party, among which were *Unicorn Greenback*, Barry; *Express* and *Sentinel*, Chicago; *National Era*, Danville; *Independent*, Erie; *Independent*, Grafton; *Local Leader*, Lexington; *Herald*, Milford; *Beacon*, Milton; *Reformer*, Morris; *Industrial Tribune*, Murphysboro; *Legal Tender*, Pekin; *Observer*, Petersburg; *Greenback Post*, Quincy; *National Greenbacker* and *Telephone*, Rochelle; *Review*, Roodhouse; *Herald*, Shelbyville; *Industrial Banner*, Yates City. The Greenback party thus brought into existence a number of papers,

nearly all short lived, and helped out of existence certain others which became advocates of the fiat money idea.

One more discharge of statistics, and the array of figures on the press in Illinois at the close of the sixty-five years with which this sketch has to do, will have been shown. The thousand and seventeen papers in the state left few vicinities unprovided with "the source of American culture." No county was without its paper. Twenty-eight towns had five or more; twelve had four, thirty-seven had three, ninety-three had two, and one hundred and seventy municipalities were supplied each with one newspaper.

There were publications in six languages at that time, though previously eight tongues had been represented. The Bohemians had four, one of which was a daily; nine hundred and twenty, including sixty-three dailies, were printed in English; one was printed in French and two in Polish; there were nine dailies and sixty-one other papers in German, and one daily and nineteen others in the Scandinavian languages. In Chicago alone there were two hundred and eighty-nine newspapers and periodicals, comprised of eighteen dailies, one hundred and thirty-eight weeklies, ninety-one monthlies, and forty-two of other periods of publication. On another basis of classification, these included sixty-three devoted to news and politics, eight to agriculture, fifty-one to commerce and trade, one to finance, nine to literature,[101] thirty-three to religious purposes, and one hundred and twenty-four to a wide variety of interests, from oriental archæology to trap shooting.

[101] A total of 120 "periodicals with some sort of literary interest dominant in their pages" were attempted in Chicago prior to 1880: twenty-seven in the forties, and fifties, forty-six from 1860 to 1871 inclusive, and forty-seven in the seventies after the fire. Of the whole number, forty continued for less than one year, and twenty-two for one year only. Fewer than half, therefore, outlasted a year. Herbert E. Fleming, *Literary Interests of Chicago*, 112.

Of religious publications, four were Baptist, one Congregational, two Disciples, two Episcopal, one Jewish, three Lutheran, five Methodist, one Mormon, two Presbyterian, one Reformed, six Roman Catholic, one Adventist, one Spiritualist, one Swedenborgian, one United Brethren, one Unitarian, one Universalist, and fifteen non-sectarian.

A retrospective glance over the threescore and five years between 1814, when the first little three-column paper was started at Kaskaskia, and 1879, reveals but a few more than a thousand papers still extant out of a total of about three thousand that have furnished forth their salutatories and their advertising rates. But a third of all those hopefully begun have endured the "halcyon and vociferous". The newspaper press spread northward over the state like a prairie fire; like a fire it has often flared and smoked, and gone out; and one turns from the record of two thousand failures with a feeling as of stepping among a residue of scorched bones.

Yet the successes have been more important than the failures have been numerous, and these papers, living and dead, have played an active part in the life and growth of the commonwealth. Long before the close of this period there had grown up a number of strong and energetic journals, some in every section of the state, upon which the journalistic honor of the commonwealth rests secure. A sketch as brief as this is left incomplete because it is without a more detailed account of the part these papers have played in the growth of the state; and especially without some more adequate reference to the men who have made these papers, and whose lives are the best part of the history of the Illinois press. A number of papers in the state have long since passed the half-century mark; men are still active

in journalism who began their labors before the Civil War, and one has died while this work was in preparation whose connection with Illinois newspapers began in 1848.

Incomplete as it is, however, perhaps this survey may serve to give some order and significance to the kaleidoscopic record which follows in the bibliography.

NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS OF ILLINOIS

1814-1879

KEY TO ABBREVIATIONS, ETC.

A Library of Congress, Washington, D. C.
B Withers Public Library, Bloomington, Illinois
C Chicago Public Library, Chicago, Illinois
D Boston Public Library, Boston, Massachusetts
E American Antiquarian Society, Worcester, Massachusetts
F New York State Library, Albany
H Chicago Historical Society, Chicago, Illinois
J John Crerar Library, Chicago, Illinois
L Lenox Branch, New York Public Library, New York City
M Mercantile Library, St. Louis, Missouri
N Newberry Library, Chicago, Illinois
P Public Library in the town in which the paper was published
S Illinois State Historical Library, Springfield
U University of Illinois Library, Urbana, Illinois
W Wisconsin State Historical Library, Madison

These letters, following the description of a paper, indicate that copies or files may be found in the corresponding libraries, the contents of which are listed in this volume. The name of a town following such description indicates that copies or files are to be found in the public library of that town.

The papers of each town are arranged in the order in which they were established, except that all papers in any series are grouped. For instance note under Albion, page 2, that *Journal* precedes *Bumble-Bee*, though established later. Under Chicago, papers established in each year are arranged alphabetically, subject to the same exception.

+1840 means that the paper was a continuation from a preceding name or location.

1840+ means that the paper was continued under another name or in another place.

1860 to date (1875) means that the paper was still in existence at the last report, in 1875, but that no later information has been obtained.

Unless otherwise noted, papers were issued weekly.

The words Ayer, Rowell, Coggeshall, refer to newspaper directories issued by those men; Gerhard, to *Illinois As it Is*.

Names of towns as parts of titles are omitted except when needed for clearness.

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ABINGDON, KNOX COUNTY

MESSENGER, 1856–1858: Published by Chambers and White and edited by O. White.

REPORTER, 1858–1862: Edited by C. C. Button.

NONPAREIL, 1863: It was published by D. H. Elliott. (See Chapman and Company's *History of Knox County*, p. 540.)

EDUCATIONAL MAGAZINE, 1864–1865: Published monthly by J. W. Butler in the interest of Abingdon College.

PROGRESS, ——(?)—— ——(?): Edited by E. E. Chesney.

PRESS, 1868—— ——(?): Conducted for only a few months by Ike Cotton.

KNOX COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1870–1876: Edited by W. H. Heaton. In 1876 it was sold and merged into *Knoxonian.* U

JOURNAL, June, 1870: Conducted by J. C. Chesney for only seven weeks.

LEADER, 1874–1875: Originally established at Monmouth by T. S. Clarke, as Monmouth *Leader.* After his death it was conducted by S. J. Clarke and in 1874 moved to Abingdon, where he with J. S. Badger established the Abingdon *Leader.* It lived about a year.

AMATEUR NEWS, 1874–1875: Edited by Charles K. Bassett.

KNOXONIAN, 1875— ——(?): Conducted by Henry C. Allen. It was published only six months in Abingdon, when the office was moved to Augusta, Illinois.

EXPRESS, 1875: Edited by Frank L. Richey. It was notable for the number of times it suspended and resumed publication, and for the many forms it assumed, being at one time a weekly, at another a semi-weekly, and at one time a daily. Democratic.

REGISTER, 1877: Edited by Charles K. Bassett.

ADVERTISER, 1877— ——(?): Edited by George Poff.

ABINGDON COLLEGE MONTHLY, 1877: Published by the trustees of Abingdon College.

NONPAREIL, ——(?)—— ——(?): Published by Elmer Richey in the later seventies. It lived less than a year.

ALBANY, WHITESIDE COUNTY

HERALD, 1854.

ALBION, EDWARDS COUNTY

INDEPENDENT, 1865– (after 1869): Edited and published by J. E. Clark. Printed at the office of the Grayville *Independent*. Republican.

PIONEER, 1868–1873+: Established by R. S. Thompson and J. J. Lambert. They conducted it for about five years and sold to Gil R. Stormont, who changed it to

JOURNAL, +1873 to date: This paper was conducted by Gil R. Stormont until September, 1876, when he sold to Ballentine and Emmerson. Mr. Ballentine retired in 1878 and Morris Emmerson continued its publication until March 11, 1884, when he sold to Colyer and Harris. After about two years Morris Harris retired and Walter Colyer continued as editor and publisher until March 30, 1900, when the ownership passed to Albert H. Bowman. February 25, 1903, Mr. Bowman was succeeded by the Albion Journal Company. U

BUMBLE-BEE, 1869-1873(?): A monthly, published in the interest of the patent medicine trade by R. S. Thompson.

EGYPTIAN REPUBLICAN, 1878: A three-column folio, edited by Chalcraft and Orange. Suspended after seven months.

ALEDO, MERCER COUNTY

RECORD, July 14, 1857 to date: Established by James H. Reed and Horace Bigelow at the time of the canvass for the removal of the county seat from Keithsburg to Aledo. Bigelow became sole owner in 1862, and sold a half interest to John Porter in 1866. Porter was political editor from 1862. In 1885 Bigelow sold his interest to John Porter and Sons who conducted the paper until 1894, when it was sold to Mitchell and Bloyer and merged with the *Times*, under the name of the *Times Record*. The paper has always been Republican and is one of the many "among the first newspapers to suggest the name of Abraham Lincoln as a candidate for the presidency." U

MERCER COUNTY PRESS, September, 1866–1869: A Democratic paper organized by persons hostile to President Johnson. J. A. J. Birdsall was editor. After a year he was succeeded by a man named Wilson; then late in 1867, David R. Walters became both editor and manager. John Geiger bought the paper in 1869 and discontinued it, establishing instead the

DEMOCRATIC BANNER, April, 1869–1873+: Geiger opposed the nomination and election of Greeley; O. P. Arthur bought the paper

in July, 1872, and supported Greeley. In 1873 the paper supported Greenback principles. In this year Arthur changed the name to

BANNER, +1873–1881: John Geiger became a partner with Arthur, and editor in 1877, and in 1878 sole owner, whereupon he made it a straight Democratic "organ." P. F. Warner bought the paper in the campaign of 1878 and conducted it as an Independent in politics until 1879, when he made it Republican. It was sold in 1881 to Geiger, Russell, and Eames, of the then recently established *Democrat.*

ALEXIS, WARREN COUNTY

JOURNAL, 1874– ——(?): James Everett was editor and publisher in 1874: in 1877 A. H. Chaffe was editor and publisher. Independent. Suspended before 1879.

ALGONQUIN, McHENRY COUNTY

CITIZEN, 1872– ——(?): William H. and George E. Earlie were editors. Earlie Brothers and Company were publishers. "Every number illustrated." Cited in Rowell's Newspaper Directory for 1873.

ALTAMONT, EFFINGHAM COUNTY

COURIER, May, 1873–November, 1874: Begun by G. W. Grove. Moved in November, 1874, to Virginia.

TELEGRAM, March, 1876–81: Established by Loofbarrow and Humble; then owned by Loofbarrow and Hale Johnson and edited by Mit. A. Bates. Sold in 1877 to C. M. King, who removed the office to Gardner in 1881.

ALTON, MADISON COUNTY

SPECTATOR, 1832–1839: Published first in Upper Alton by O. M. Adams and Edward Breath. The firm soon dissolved, and Mr. Breath alone removed this paper to Lower Alton (now Alton) in October, 1832. Mr. J. T. Hudson, successor to Mr. Breath, edited and published it, 1834–1836; W. A. Beaty, 1836; D. Ward, 1836–1837; Wm. Hessin, 1837; Mr. Hessin and Seth T. Sawyer, 1837; Mr. Hessin, 1837–1838; J. Clark Virgin in December, 1838, and he soon suspended it. It was Whig in politics, giving much attention to the banking system of the country. **ESHM**

AMERICAN, November 22, 1833–1834: Founded by J. S. Buchanan; devoted to the agricultural, mechanical, and mercantile interests of Lower Alton and surrounding country; religious but not denominational. Published by Messrs. Bailey and Parks and edited by Rev. Thomas Lippincott. Monthly. **H**

WESTERN PIONEER AND BAPTIST STANDARD BEARER, +June 30, 1836–1839: Removed from Rock Spring in June, 1836, by Ashford Smith and Company, under patronage of the Baptist denomination in Illinois and Missouri. Its editors were J. M. Peck, at first alone, afterward associated with E. Rogers and Rev. Washington Leverett. With the beginning of its second year it was known as the *Western Pioneer*. It was finally discontinued as a separate publication about the close of 1838, and combined in January, 1839, with a paper published at Louisville, Ky., and New Albany, Iowa, entitled, in 1839, *Baptist Banner and Western Pioneer*. (See Rock Spring *Pioneer*). H

TELEGRAPH, January 20, 1836 to 1882: Founded by R. M. Treadway and L. A. Parks. Published by Messrs. Treadway, Parks, and S. G. Bailey, 1836–1837; Parks and Bailey, 1837; Mr. Parks, 1837; Mr. Parks and John Bailhache, 1837; Mr. Bailhache, 1837–1838. In 1838 S. R. Dolbee purchased a half interest and firm continued until 1850 when Dolbee was succeeded by Wm. H. Bailhache, son of John Bailhache. From 1852–1854, E. L. Baker was one of the firm. Mr. Baker and L. A. Parks conducted it, 1854–1855. In 1855 the *Telegraph* was merged in the *Courier* (which see) and so remained until the death of the *Courier* in 1861, when L. A. Parks and J. T. Beem and S. V. Crossman revived the publication of the *Telegraph*. Parks and Crossman continued its publication, 1861–1864; Mr. Parks and Thos. S. Pinckard, 1864–1866; Mr. Parks, 1866; Parks and Chas. Holden, 1866–1867; Parks, Holden, and W. T. Norton, 1867–1875; Holden and Norton, 1875–1880; Mr. Norton, 1880 to 1893. After 1888 the paper was published by the Alton Telegraph Printing Company. In 1893 W. T. Norton sold his stock to W. J. A. Cousley and W. H. Bauer, who with other stockholders continue to publish the paper, with W. J. A. Cousley as editor. Mr. John Bailhache was its editor, 1837–1841, and from 1841 for several years it was edited by Geo. T. M. Davis. It was known simply as the *Telegraph* until April 3, 1841, when it became the Alton *Telegraph and Democratic Review*. In 1853 it became the Alton *Telegraph and Madison County Record*, which name it retained until merged in the *Courier*. When the Whig party died it became a strong Republican organ. During the fall of 1836 great excitement spread over the country as a consequence of John Quincy Adams's contest in Congress over the right of petition. It is asserted that the *Telegraph* was the only paper west of Cincinnati which supported Mr. Adams in that struggle. January 1, 1851, a tri-weekly was begun; in 1852 the daily was begun; the weekly was continued.

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ALTON OBSERVER.

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ELIJAH P. LOVEJOY, Editor.

MISCELLANEOUS.

For the Alton Observer.

THE DEPENDENT SENSES TO PRAY.

Dr. Lovejoy—I have recently heard a sermon on the subject which gave me much pain. The text was, "Men ought always to pray." The preacher declared from the text the doctrine that it is the duty of all men. In assuming that his text should stand it to be the duty of christians, he took a course that it is the duty of unregenerate sinners. When he had finished his discourse, no person made upon my mind, and I presume every mind that heard him with attention. So that he would have spoken to as much purpose had unimportant hearts, and not God and his Son, been invocated to give them repentance and faith in new hearts. They were to do this with their natural hearts, and of course with their natural feelings and desires, and yet were to do it as a duty to God, and as the first means of obtaining personal religion.

I am the more confirmed in the view I take of this subject, because I believe it to be one of vital importance and dangerous as to tendency.

The Bible never teaches a sinner that duty to offer to God prayers to God. Yet I remember to have heard as far once supposed. For we are speaking of a sinner whose heart is alienated from God, and whose mind is also wholly evil. He clings to but what is unprofiting, prop, and pleases God to take off all refuges from it. To be sincere!

He therefore has during once, as finally as a regular and a regular one, and he prays that he may learn the sincerest. He knows the pleasures of sin, and he has all no purpose to abandon it, at present. Yet he prays God to teach him from it. In what heart is no prayer? True, as he is sensible of danger, he may seek great earnestness for salvation, but it is from opposite motives from *suffering*, and not from sin. Such he desires, yea, it is sinful in its aim, which he only prays for. Does the Bible require such prayer? Do they move God to compassion, or *displeasure*? Balaam offered just such a prayer. Do they move conscience,—let me use the strong word—to *righteousness*? But who heard the wages of unrighteousness," and probably perished in his sins.

The Savior and his Apostles never had impenitent sinners offer such prayers, either as a duty, or as a means of their salvation. To such he enjoined that they must die, they said, "repent and be baptized for the remission of sins." "Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved." Peter, who labored whenever one came to pray, but it must be with penitence. "Repent and pray." He does not say, "Pray and repent." He does not say, "Pray and believe." He does not say, "Pray and be converted." He does not say, "Pray and be born again." He does not say, "Pray and be sanctified." He does not say, "Pray and be justified." He does not say, "Pray and be saved." He does not say, "Pray and be baptized." He does not say, "Pray and be forgiven." He does not say, "Pray and be reconciled to God." He does not say, "Pray and be adopted into the family of God." He does not say, "Pray and be made heirs of God." He does not say, "Pray and be made joint heirs with Jesus Christ." He does not say, "Pray and be made partakers of the divine nature." He does not say, "Pray and be made meet for the inheritance of the saints in light." He does not say, "Pray and be delivered from the power of darkness." He does not say, "Pray and be translated into the kingdom of God's dear Son." He does not say, "Pray and be redeemed from all iniquity." He does not say, "Pray and be purified unto himself a peculiar people." He does not say, "Pray and be zealous of good works." He does not say, "Pray and be saved from this present evil world." He does not say, "Pray and be delivered from the wrath to come." He does not say, "Pray and be made vessels of mercy." He does not say, "Pray and be prepared unto glory." He does not say, "Pray and be made to sit together in heavenly places in Christ Jesus." He does not say, "Pray and be made nigh by the blood of Christ." He does not say, "Pray and be made partakers of the heavenly calling." He does not say, "Pray and be made partakers of Christ." He does not say, "Pray and be made partakers of the promise in Christ by the Gospel." He does not say, "Pray and be sanctified by the Holy Ghost." He does not say, "Pray and be made partakers of the inheritance of the saints in light." He does not say, "Pray and be made partakers of the glory that shall be revealed." He does not say, "Pray and be made partakers of the resurrection of the just." He does not say, "Pray and be made partakers of eternal life." He does not say, "Pray and be made partakers of the kingdom of heaven." He does not say, "Pray and be made partakers of the new heavens and the new earth, wherein dwelleth righteousness." He does not say, "Pray and be made partakers of the tree of life, which is in the midst of the paradise of God." He does not say, "Pray and be made partakers of the water of life freely." He does not say, "Pray and be made partakers of the crown of life that fadeth not away." He does not say, "Pray and be made partakers of the glory that excelleth." He does not say, "Pray and be made partakers of the eternal weight of glory." He does not say, "Pray and be made partakers of the exceeding and eternal weight of glory." He does not say, "Pray and be made partakers of the glory that shall be revealed in us." He does not say, "Pray and be made partakers of the glory that shall be revealed in us." He does not say, "Pray and be made partakers of the glory that shall be revealed in us

TAPER, June, 1840– ——(?): A non-sectarian religious monthly, edited by Rev. Thomas Lippincott, a Presbyterian minister. S

OBSERVER, September 8, 1836– August 21, 1837+: This paper was first published in St. Louis as an organ of the Presbyterians. When Elijah P. Lovejoy became its editor he began vigorously and unrelentingly to assail the institution of slavery through its columns. In 1836 he resolved to remove the press and material of the *Observer* to Alton, Illinois. Before shipment much of the material was destroyed and cast into the Mississippi, and the rest met the same fate when it was unloaded on the wharf at Alton. Notwithstanding these reverses, Mr. Lovejoy procured a new press and the first issue of the Alton *Observer* appeared, September 8, 1836. This new press, type, and material were destroyed by a mob on the night of August 21, 1837. The third press was ordered, and destroyed on the night of its arrival, and the fragments were cast into the river. A fourth press was ordered at once. It was shipped from Cincinnati and arrived in Alton on the night of November 6, 1837. On the night of November 7 Mr. Lovejoy was killed, his press broken up and its fragments, too, cast into the Mississippi.[1] Beginning December 28, 1837, the *Observer* was printed in Cincinnati by Elisha W. Chester and sent to Alton for distribution. Rev. T. B. Hulburt supplied local news from Alton. This arrangement was abandoned April 19, 1838. **HS**

ILLINOIS TEMPERANCE HERALD, June 1, 1836–1839+: Monthly. Edited by F. W. Graves, and later by A. W. Corey, assisted by Timothy Turner; published by the executive committee of the Illinois State Temperance Society. November, 1839, the title was changed to **U**

MISSOURI AND ILLINOIS TEMPERANCE HERALD, +November, 1839–1842: and was published simultaneously in St. Louis and Alton as the organ of the two state temperance societies. January, 1842, the paper became the organ also of the Washingtonian societies, and the title with the number for that date became *Missouri and Illinois Temperance Herald and Washingtonian.* A. W. Corey was still editor. See Springfield, *Illinois Washingtonian.* **U**

[1] "The battered press lay in the river till 1858, when W. R. Mead bought the 'find' for $35, and removed it to Iowa. From 1858 to 1870 it was used to print the Cresco *Plain Dealer*, at New Oregon, Howard County, Iowa. Then George E. Frost bought it for $100 and printed the Clear Lake *Observer* on it till about 1876, when it was again sold to F. A. Gates, editor of the Belmont *Herald.* For about twenty years it remained in service at Belmont, Iowa, and was then sold to Mr. C. F. Gunther, of Chicago, who exhibited it in 'Libby Prison.'" Harris, *Negro Servitude in Illinois*, 914, n.

VOICE OF ILLINOIS, 1838 to close of campaign. Supported Cyrus Edwards for governor, Wm. H. Davidson for lieutenant governor, and George Churchill for senator. Campaign paper published by a Whig committee for Madison county.

ALTONIAN, March 13–27, 1838: Edited and published by L. A. Parks and Edmund Breath. Favored Whig principles. Only three numbers issued. S

COMMERCIAL GAZETTE, 1839–1840: Published by Samuel S. Brooks and John H. Pettit. It was suspended in March, 1840, and revived for the campaign, after which it was again suspended. It was Democratic in politics. A

SUCKER, 1840: Published by Parks and Beaty, and edited by "Ourselves," who were understood to be Wm. S. and John Lincoln and James Hall. It was Whig and supported Harrison for the presidential nomination. It was merged in the *Telegraph* in March, 1840.

PEOPLE'S MISCELLANY AND ILLINOIS HERALD, July 27, 1842–——(?): Another paper edited by A. W. Corey, who in the first number announced the discontinuance of the *Illinois Temperance Herald*. The prospectus announced the paper to be the organ of the Illinois State Temperance society, and all other temperance societies that wished to use its columns; but unlike its unsuccessful predecessors, this was to be a general newspaper. Parks and Souther were its publishers. AF

PRESBYTERY REPORTER, 1845–1860+: Edited by Rev. A. T. Norton. Only two numbers were issued the first year. Issued quarterly, 1847–1850; bi-monthly, 1850–1854; suspended; revived in 1855 and issued monthly. In 1860 it was taken to Chicago, but later, publication was resumed at Alton. Its subscription list was finally sold to *Herald Presbyter*, Cincinnati. S

TRUTH SEEKER, November, 1845–September, 1846: Quarterly. Edited by the Rev. Lemuel Foster. The occasion of the paper was the suppression, by the Chicago *Western Citizen*, of the report of the discussion which took place in the annual meeting of the Illinois Anti-Slavery Society, held June, 1845, at Alton. After almost a year *Truth Seeker* abandoned the task of reforming Mr. Eastman *et al.*, and left the *Western Citizen* still impenitent. H

PROTESTANT MONITOR, 1846–1848: Removed from Greenville. E. M. Lathrop was editor; Lathrop and John M. McPike were publishers. Suspended with vol. 3, no. 32, May 24, 1848. Revived as Alton *Monitor*, 1848; edited by John W. Buffum. Suspended at close of campaign. It was Democratic, and a violent religious sheet. H

COURIER, May 29, 1852–1861: Published by Geo. T. Brown; associated with him were James Gamble and John Fitch (see *Banner*, Carrollton). It was edited by Mr. Fitch, 1853–1854. Mr. Brown was its sole editor and proprietor, 1854–1860, when he sold to B. J. F. Hanna and S. V. Crossman. In May, 1860, Benjamin Teasdale and B. F. Webster obtained an interest. Mr. Webster retired in December, 1860, and its publication was abandoned in January, 1861 (see Alton *Telegraph*). In the Kansas–Nebraska controversy it strongly favored free soil and in 1856 favored Frèmont for president. In 1858 the *Courier* became Republican and supported Lincoln against Douglas. When they reached common political ground the *Courier* and *Telegraph* were merged. Daily, tri-weekly, and weekly.
Jennie D. Hayner, Lib. Assn. **HUSF**

VORWÄRTS, 1852–54: Published by P. Stibolt and V. Walter. Mr. Stibolt took it to Galena, and subsequently he went to Peoria, where he became the editor of the *Deutsche Zeitung*. It was Democratic. German.

NATIONAL DEMOCRAT, 1854–1869: Published by Geo. M. Thompson and edited by John Fitch, 1854; John and T. N. Fitch, 1854–1859; John Fitch, 1859–1860. In 1860 building and press were destroyed by a tornado. In seven weeks Robert P. Tansey resumed its publication. In a short time it passed into the hands of Wm. T. Brock and from him to W. T. Dowdall with Thomas Dimmock as editor. In 1864 Mr. Dowdall sold to John C. Dobelbower, but Mr. Dimmock continued editor. In 1866 it was destroyed by fire but was re-established and its publication was continued until 1869, when it was removed to Lafayette, Indiana. **H**

ILLINOIS BEOBACHTER, 1855–1866: Established and published by John Reis, 1855–1863; V. Walter, 1863–1864; G. H. Weigler, 1864–1866. While conducted by Mr. Reis it favored the Douglas wing of Democracy, and under Mr. Walter was Republican. It was a weekly German paper. Destroyed by fire.

SUCKER LIFE BOAT, January to July, 1855: Comic sheet edited and published by John T. Beem, Martin Brooks, and Wilbur T. Ware.

MISSOURI CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN, 1855: In 1852 it was started at Lexington, Mo. In 1853 removed to St. Louis, and to Alton in 1855. Edited by Dr. J. B. Logan. In June, 1855, the subscription list was sold and transferred to the *Watchman and Evangelist*, Louisville, Ky.

LADIES' PEARL, 1857–1861: Edited by Dr. J. B. Logan and Rev. W. W. Brown in the interest of the Cumberland Presbyterian church. Monthly.

FREIE PRESSE, 1858–1859: Established by Dr. Canisius, and with the second issue transferred to Christian Schneider, who conducted it about one year. German.

WEEKLY ALTON TELEGRAPH, 1858: A campaign paper edited by Messrs. Parks and Ennis, Mr. Parks being the political editor.

DAILY EVENING DEMOCRAT, 1859 to date (1865): H

STAR OF BETHLEHEM AND CANDID EXAMINER, ——(?): Edited by A. Doubleday. A religious paper; died with the first number.

WESTERN CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN, 1862–1868+: Founded and edited by Rev. J. B. Logan, to take the place of the St. Louis *Observer*, which left the northwest without an organ. Devoted to religion, morality, church news in general. In 1866 he sold the subscription lists to T. H. Perrin, but remained editor until 1868, when Rev. J. R. Brown, bought one-half interest in the paper. Dr. Logan then purchased the subscription lists of the *Cumberland Presbyterian* and united with Dr. Brown. The word "Western" was dropped, and the paper called

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN, +1868–1874: In 1874 it was sold and removed to Nashville, Tennessee. D

GOOD TEMPLAR, 1865–1868: Edited by B. H. Mills. It had been published formerly at St. Louis. Temperance.

BANNER, 1866–date: Established by Pfeiffer Brothers. In five months John Mold purchased paper and continued publication until 1868, when the leaders of the Republican party bought paper and put V. Walter in charge as editor. In 1869 it was sold to Messrs. Meyer and Voss; 1870 Meyer purchased Voss' interest, and in 1877 sold to R. Boelitz, who in 1881 sold to Messrs. Zechmeister and Henzel; in 1882 Messrs. Kleinwot and Henzel became editors and publishers. Independent in politics after 1882. German.

TEMPERANCE WATCHMAN, 1872: Monthly. Edited by R. S. Smiley; published by E. A. Smith, "in the interest of the Temple of Honor and Temperance". Probably the ancestor of *Temperance Banner*.

TEMPERANCE BANNER, 1873–75: R. L. Smiley, editor. Published by Eugene Smith.

OUR FAITH, 1875–76: Monthly. Established by T. H. Perrin and Dr. J. B. Logan. It took the place of *Cumberland Presbyterian*. In 1876 it was sold to the St. Louis *Observer*.

CHRISTIAN NEWS, 1875–1876: Monthly. Edited by Rev. Robert West. Published in the interest of the Congregational church by E. A. Smith. In 1876 it was sold to the Advance Company of Chicago.

DEMOCRAT, 1875–1882+: Established by J. N. Shoemaker and Hugh E. Bayle. In 1876 a daily was begun. In three months the paper passed into the hands of Perrin, Smith and Company. The "company" was D. C. Fitz Morris, editor. In 1878 Fitz Morris withdrew from the firm but continued as editor. Combined with *Sentinel* in 1882. See below.

MORNING NEWS, 1876: Edited by James J. McInerney and Eugene J. Bronson. Daily, Independent. Suspended in three months.

MADISON COUNTY SENTINEL, 1879–1882+: Established by James J. McInerney as an Independent daily. In 1882 it was combined with the *Democrat* as *Daily Sentinel-Democrat*, with McInerney as editor and proprietor. Later it was published by a stock company. In 1905 W. H. Murphy bought a half interest; McInerney died in 1909, and Murphy sold his interest to his associates, who still conduct the paper.

ALTONA, KNOX COUNTY

MIRROR, 1868–1870: A short lived Republican paper edited and published by E. Johnson and Company. J. S. McClelland was editor and publisher in 1870.

SWEDE, 1869(?)– ——(?): Weekly.

JOURNAL, 1878–80(?): Edmund H. Waldo was editor and publisher in 1880. Independent.

AMBOY, LEE COUNTY

LEE COUNTY TIMES, 1855–1856: The stockholders were A. Kinyon, W. E. Ives, John L. Skinner, John B. Wyman, H. B. Judkin, and W. B. Stuart. Edited by A. N. Dickens, brother of Charles Dickens. Changed to

AMBOY TIMES, 1856–1866: Published successively by Cotrell, Pratt and Miller; Cotrell, Pratt, and Somers; Pratt and Co.; Pratt, Shaw and Co.; Gardner, Shaw, and Lewis; Pratt and Shaw. Messrs. Goff and Shaw changed it to **HF**

LEE COUNTY JOURNAL, +1866–1870+: Originally the *Lee County Times*, which changed to the Amboy *Times*, this in turn changing to the *Lee County Journal*. First published, February 25, 1866, by Goff and Shaw; from February to December, 1867, by Burrington and Shaw. From January 16 to December 24, 1868, B. F. Shaw was editor and proprietor. Stimson and Corbus were publishing the *Journal* January 6, 1870, and at least until March 10 following. In September, 1870, Wm. Parker changed the name to

AMBOY JOURNAL, +1870 to date: Changed by Wm. Parker from the *Lee County Journal*, and published by him from September, 1870,

to September 6, 1872; W. H. Haskell, September 6, 1872, to October 15, 1879; E. W. Faxon and Company, October 15, 1879, to February 1, 1881; Dr. C. E. Loomis, after February 1, 1881. The paper was Republican in politics throughout its course. U

NEWS, 1878 to date: Established by J. Henry Adams and Wm. M. Geddes, who together published it for five years. Until 1882 the *News* was issued from the office of the Paw Paw *Herald;* since that time from its own office. In 1882 William M. Parker was editor. For a short time in 1884 Adams and Preston were publishers; then, from October 18, 1884, until February 19, 1897, James H. Preston was editor and proprietor; Mrs. James H. Preston, publisher; Charles H. Eby, editor and manager, 1897–March 3, 1899; C. H. Eby to January, 1900. E. E. Chase bought an interest at that time and became sole owner in August. In December, 1900, he sold to Henry F. Gehant, who sold August 15, 1902, to Dafoe and Vaughn. Edited by R. G. Sherwood for two months in 1902; then by E. O. Trickey. Since July 10, 1903, E. L. Carpenter has been editor and publisher. Under Preston, Democratic; since, Independent with Republican tendencies.

ANNA, UNION COUNTY

UNION COUNTY RECORD, 1860– ——(?): Established July, 1860, by W. H. Mitchell. Republican.

UNION COUNTY HERALD, April 17, 1869– ——(?): Established by S. D. Rich; Democratic in politics; soon sold to Dr. J. J. Underwood, who re-sold in a short time. The office was moved to Cairo.

ADVERTISER, 1870–1872: Published by Dougherty and Galligher; Republican. After about two years it was taken to Jonesboro, where in a short time publication ceased. The office was sold to John H. Barton, and taken to Carterville, Williamson county.

UNION, March 1, 1875–1875: Started by A. J. Alden, of Cairo, who soon sold to J. J. Penny and returned to Cairo. Mr. Penny published the paper about six months; then it died.

MEDICAL REGISTER AND ADVERTISER, 1875–1876: Monthly. James I. Hale, M.D., was editor and publisher.

FARMER AND FRUIT GROWER, 1877–1897: Established by H. C. Bouton; semi-monthly until the fall of 1877, then weekly; devoted to agricultural and horticultural interests of Union county and Southern Illinois. It was sold to the *Prairie Farmer* about 1897. U

MISSIONARY SENTINEL, 1879–1880: Established by Rev. S. P. Myers in the interest of the German Reformed Church. After one year it was moved to Dayton, Ohio.

UNION COUNTY NEWS, 1879: Edited and published by Hale, Wilson and Company. Independent.

APPLE RIVER, JO DAVIESS COUNTY

INDEX, 1870: D. A. Sheffield, editor; Herst C. Gann, publisher. Printed at the office of the Warren *Sentinel*.

ARCOLA, DOUGLAS COUNTY

RECORD, November, 1866 to date: Established by Richard Gruelle, who conducted it until his death in 1883. The paper was subsequently owned by Bassett and Wamsley. In 1899 M. H. Bassett sold the paper to Nathan Collins and Sons. In May, 1905, Collins and Sons purchased the Arcola *Herald*, established 1883, of J. L. Avey and consolidated the two as the Arcola *Record-Herald*, which they still own and edit. Nathan Collins died in 1908. The paper is now published by Collins Brothers with Frank F. Collins as managing editor. The paper devotes one page each week to the subject of broomcorn. It was the first "all home" paper in Douglas county. Republican. H

DOUGLAS COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1870– (after 1881): Independent. Established by H. H. Moore, 1870–1875; C. M. Leake, 1876–(?) S. G. Cleviston was editor and publisher in 1879; in 1880 H. H. Moore was again named as editor and publisher.

ROCK, 1872–1873: An evangelical weekly, edited and published by T. J. Shilton.

MOORE'S HOME MONTHLY, 1877: "Devoted to home and fireside miscellany" by H. H. Moore.

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS, COOK COUNTY

COOK COUNTY HERALD, 1873– (after 1881): F. W. Hoffman and Company were editors and publishers in 1877. In 1879 A. S. Lindsey was editor, and John Flaherty and Company publishers; Herald Publishing Company in 1880. Republican.

COOK COUNTY CHRONICLE, 1876–——(?): F. D. Dalton was editor and publisher in 1876.

ASHKUM, IROQUOIS COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1875–1877: Edited and published by Lowe and Kloke. John Lowe was editor and publisher in 1877. Independent. Printed at the office of the Onarga *Review*.

ASHLAND, CASS COUNTY

WEEKLY EAGLE, March 2, 1876: A neutral paper started by John S. Harper. *Weekly* was dropped from the title at the seventh number. After four months sold to A. F. Smith and removed.

NEWS, 1879–——(?): John J. Smith was editor and publisher in 1880.

ASHLEY, WASHINGTON COUNTY

ENQUIRER, June–September, 1856: Established by M. L. McCord. The excitement occasioned by the presidential campaign was too much for a paper that was trying to be neutral. Its publication ceased late in September of 1856.

HERALD, 1870–1871: Established by L. E. Knapp.

GAZETTE, 1876 to date: Established by A. W. O'Bryant, April 5, 1876. Mr. O'Bryant was in 1879 still proprietor and publisher. The name was changed to the *Washington County Gazette*, April 27, 1906, at which time F. E. and W. C. O'Bryant became publishers. Republican. Files are kept in the office.

ASHTON, LEE COUNTY

SENTINEL, 1877–1880(?): P. O. Sproul was editor and publisher in 1880.

ASSUMPTION, CHRISTIAN COUNTY

INDEPENDENT, April 22, 1871–1874+: R. M. Carr, was proprietor; J. M. Birce, local editor. Neutral in politics. Carr printed the *Independent* in the office of the *Pana Gazette*, until April 15, 1872, when I. V. Park began its publication at Assumption. Six months later, the office passed into the hands of a joint-stock company, with John L. Marvell as manager and editor. Owing to the latter's erratic management he was replaced by Richard Couch, July, 1874, who changed the name of the paper to

RECORD, +1874–1876: Richard Couch was manager and editor for one year after its establishment in July, 1874. Then A. W. Chabin assumed management for nine months, after which the office was sold to A. M. Anderson and moved to Windsor, Shelby county.

PRESS, September, 1872–1873: John P. Marnell was editor and publisher.

ASTORIA, FULTON COUNTY

ADVERTISER, 1871–1872: C. R. Spore was editor and publisher.

ARGUS, 1876– (after 1881): Independent.

ATLANTA, LOGAN COUNTY

LOGAN COUNTY FORUM, 1855–1858: A weekly paper edited by S. B. Dugger.

ARGUS, May, 1869 to date: Established by Albion Smith. It was at first printed in Bloomington. The *Argus* was edited and published from 1870 to the spring of 1873, by Albion Smith and F. B. Mills; 1873 to August, 1874, A. W. Briggs; August, 1874, till after 1880, George L. Shoals; Horace Crihfield, then Crihfield Brothers, to date. Complete files owned by the office and by A. J. Ludlam of Atlanta.

PROPERTY SELLER, 1871–1872: A monthly real estate advertising sheet, edited by Frank B. Mills; published by Smith and Mills.

AUBURN, SANGAMON COUNTY

HERALD, 1873–1874+: Published by Lowdermilk and Stover as an advertising medium. After five months sold to stock company. In 1874 M. G. Wadsworth of Auburn and W. F. Thompson of Virden purchased from stock company and changed the name to

CITIZEN, +1874– (after 1881): M. G. Wadsworth was editor and publisher in 1879. Independent.

AUGUSTA, HANCOCK COUNTY

TIMES, 1856–1857: Established by L. S. Grove and Son. **F**

HOME BANNER, December, 1864–1867: Established by W. P. Campbell, who after a year was succeeded by W. R. Carr.

HERALD, August, 1878–1880: Established by Henry E. Allen. After about a year it was transferred to Silas Robinson, by whom it was discontinued in 1880.

AURORA, KANE COUNTY

PEOPLE'S PLATFORM, 1846+: Established, issued, and edited by Isaac Marlett; Democratic in politics. This was the first paper published in Aurora. It was soon removed to St. Charles, Kane county, then a more important town than Aurora. It continued to be published in St. Charles under different names, but ceased publication shortly after the presidential campaign of 1860.

DEMOCRAT, August 6, 1846–——(?): Established by C. and G. Ingham. In politics it was "Democratic as understood by the Jefferson and Jackson school." C. and G. Ingham were the publishers. Short lived. **P**

BEACON, June, 1847 to date: Founded by M. V. and B. F. Hall, the former a Whig, and the latter a Democrat. In politics the paper had two political departments, one Whig, and the other Democratic. B. F. Hall disposed of his interest and the paper was Whig till the organization of the Republican party, when it warmly espoused the principles of that party. In the winter of 1853–1854 James W. Randall and his brother Dudley purchased

the *Beacon*. The Randalls were succeeded by a number of proprietors, among them N. S. Greenwood and George Brewster. On September 6, 1856, the *Daily Beacon* appeared, with A. C. Gibson as editor, and J. W. Randall and N. S. Greenwood as publishers, but it was suspended April 30, 1857. In July, 1857, the *Beacon* and the *Guardian* were consolidated, and called *Republican Union*, owned by J. W. Randall and Simeon Whiteley. Suspended, but in September, 1857, revived by Augustus Harman, who had been the editor of the *Republican Union*, and Oscar B. Knickerbocker. In 1858 Harman retired. 1858–1859, George S. Bangs; Bangs and Knickerbocker, 1859–1866. In 1866 Bangs sold to Knickerbocker. In the same year John H. Hodder purchased an interest. Knickerbocker and Hodder continued the publication until the death of Mr. Knickerbocker in 1885. In the early 70s the *Beacon* started a semi-weekly edition, and in March, 1891, Mr. Hodder issued a daily, published ever since. On Mr. Hodder's death, in 1902, the paper was sold to a stock company. George W. Stephens is the present editor. Complete files in the office. **PUF**

Guardian, 1852–1857+: Established by Simeon Whiteley and Benjamin Wilson, editors and proprietors; politics Democratic until the repeal of the Missouri compromise; then Free Soil, and afterwards Republican. Mr. Wilson retired from the paper at an early date. In July, 1857, the *Guardian* and the *Beacon* were consolidated, the new paper being called the *Republican Union*; the proprietors were James W. Randall and Simeon Whiteley. This firm lasted but a few weeks. **PF**

Republican Union, +1857+: A consolidation of the *Beacon* and the *Guardian*; James W. Randall and Simeon Whiteley proprietors, Augustus Harman editor. After five numbers Randall sold his interest to Whiteley, who then engaged as editor T. Herbert Whipple, afterwards one of the editors of the New York *World*. After the retirement of Randall this paper was called **PF**

Republican, +1857–1858: With the change in name the paper was re-reduced in size. February 12, 1858, Mr. Whipple became "corresponding editor," Mr. Whiteley assuming the general editorship. The last issue appeared November 5, 1858. **P**

Temperance Monitor, March, 1858–1859: Started as a temperance organ by James P. Snell. It survived about a year. Mr. Snell entered the army at the beginning of the Civil War, and at its close became editor of the Mendota *Bulletin*. **E**

REFORMER, July, 1858–1860: A sixteen-page monthly. Established by Augustus Harman and Ellen Beard. It was discontinued in June, 1860. It declared itself "to be what its name indicates," and fought ardently for prohibition, dress reform, etc. Miss Beard soon became Mrs. Harman. She assisted her husband in the editorial department, set type, canvassed for subscribers, and lectured.

TEMPERANCE TOCSIN, April till fall, 1860: A sheet half the size of the *Reformer*, established by Augustus Harman and wife, intended for local circulation. Mr. Harman died in the fall of 1860, after which Mrs. Harman continued the publication of the *Tocsin* for a short time.

CHRONICLE, February, 1861: Established by John H. Hodder, editor and proprietor. This paper existed about six months.

HERALD, June, 1866–1903: Established by Thomas E. Hill. He was succeeded in the ownership of the paper by the firms of Hill and Gale; Gale and Shaw; Shaw and Bangs; Bangs, Owen and Ford; and Bangs and Owen. In 1871 the paper was purchased by Pierce Burton, who in 1874 sold a half interest to Mr. James Shaw, who re-sold to Mr. Burton in 1880. The latter continued the paper until he established the Aurora *Daily Express* in 1882, and thereafter the *Herald* was the weekly edition of that paper. Originally Republican in politics, under Mr. Burton it was Independent. In 1876 it supported Peter Cooper for President; and it advocated Greenback principles as long as the party of that name had a national organization. Mr. Burton retired from business in 1902. After several changes of ownership, the *Express* ceased publication in 1903, and with it perished also the *Herald*. PU

WEEKLY, June, 1867: Established by Dudley Randall; had a brief existence.

ARGUS, 1867: This paper was in some sort the successor of the Aurora *Weekly*. It was established by Dudley Randall, and edited by him and W. H. H. Brainard. Possibly there was simply a change of name without change in proprietorship or in the character of the paper.

VOLKSFREUND, 1868 to date: Established by Peter Klein and Jacob Siegmund. In 1871 Mr. Klein purchased the interest of Mr. Siegmund, and has since continued sole proprietor. Republican until 1884, when it supported Cleveland for President. It soon became Republican again, and has remained so. May 27, 1895, a daily edition was started, and has been continued. U

CITY LIFE ILLUSTRATED, 1871: Founded by Dudley Randall and continued several months. *Life* attained a large circulation for those days.

FREE METHODIST, 1872–1874+: A Free Methodist weekly, moved from New York City by Louis Bailey. Purchased in 1874 by D. P. Baker and T. B. Arnold, who moved it to Sycamore.

ARMY RECORD, 1873–1874: Monthly advertising sheet edited and published by James D. Fox. Apparently changed the next year to *Army Register*, and the date of establishment moved back one year.

VIDETTE, 1873–1874: Edited and published by Tounshendeau and Lindsey.

DAILY GLOBE, 1874: Issued only one day. Established by a Mr. Turner, a printer employed in the *Beacon* office, and printed by Jacob Siegmund. On the very day of publication, however, Turner left, and a little later Siegmund presented Turner's idea as

DAILY NEWS, February 22, 1874: Founded by Jacob Siegmund and Charles M. Faye. The first daily paper in Aurora to maintain a permanent existence. Mr. Faye sold his interest to Mr. Siegmund in September, 1875, and was succeeded for a few weeks by Orville B. Merrill. On February 1, 1876, Willis B. Hawkins became owner of one-half the plant. Hawkins remained with the *News* for several years. On his retiring, Mr. Siegmund published the paper for a time, with Richard W. Corbett as editor. In 1884 Mr. Siegmund sold the plant to Edward Northam and Eben F. Beaupré, who published the paper about two years, and then sold it to John F. Dewey. In 1891 Mr. Dewey sold to Walter S. Frazier. From Mr. Frazier ownership of the paper passed at his death to Lincoln B. Frazier, a son. Under the proprietorship of L. B. Frazier the *News* has continued. W. W. Clark is the present editor. PU

EVENING POST, 1878–1897: Daily; established by a printer named Welch. From Welch's hands it passed to those of Peter Klein and Louis A. Constantine, under the firm name of Klein and Constantine. This co-partnership was of less than six months' duration; then Peter Klein transferred his interest in the paper to his partner, who kept the *Post* going for nearly twenty years. In 1897 Constantine was appointed postmaster of Aurora, and soon after this the *Evening Post* was discontinued.

INDEPENDENT, September, 1878: Established by Edward Keough, formerly of the Elgin *Times*. The *Independent* was started as a Democratic paper; but the Democrats of Aurora apparently did not care for an organ, and the *Independent* lived but a short time.

AVA, JACKSON COUNTY

REGISTER, 1876–——(?): Established by George Jahn and Bethune Dishon. Democratic. Mr. Dishon retired in 1877 leaving Mr. Jahn editor. In Rowell for 1879, Dishon is given as editor and publisher.

NEWS, 1876–——(?): Lambert and Connor were editors and publishers.

AVON, FULTON COUNTY

SENTINEL, 1879 to date: Established by H. J. Herbertz. Mr. Herbertz retired in 1880, being succeeded by Mark Ullery. In 1881 H. G. Leigh purchased an interest, the partnership of Ullery and Leigh continuing three months, when W. E. Stevens purchased Mr. Ullery's interest. In 1883 Mr. Stevens became sole owner, leasing a half interest to Geo. E. Simmons for two years; in 1885, W. W. Vose succeeded Simmons, the partnership continuing two years. W. E. Stevens has been the editor and publisher since January 1, 1888. Files are at the office.

BARRINGTON STATION, COOK COUNTY

HERALD, 1877–after 1881: Edited and published by J. A. Ballinger, and later by W. G. Alden. Printed at the office of the Palatine *Enterprise.*

BARRY, PIKE COUNTY

ENTERPRISE, ——(?): A paper established by George W. Smith in the sixties. Not mentioned by Rowell for 1869.

DISPATCH, ——(?): A short-lived publication begun in the sixties by Shaffner and Goldsmith. Not mentioned by Rowell for 1869.

OBSERVER, 1870–1871: Established by L. L. Burke. Within a year was suspended and removed.

ADAGE, 1871 to date: Established by M. H. Cobb, publisher, and J. H. Cobb, editor, 1871–1878; S. E. Colgrove, 1878–1879; John H. Cobb and W. W. Watson, 1879–1880; W. W. Watson, 1880–1898; A. E. Hess, 1898 to date. Independent.

UNICORN, 1877+: Edited and published by Simeon Fitch. Started as Republican, soon changed to Greenback, and the name was changed to

UNICORN GREENBACK, +1878–1887: Edited and published by Simeon Fitch, who is said to have written chiefly in verse. The paper declined with the Greenback movement, which it had supported.

BATAVIA, KANE COUNTY

EXPOSITOR, 1852: Edited by James Risk and others. Short-lived.

FOX RIVER EXPOSITOR, January, 1856– ——(?): Another short-lived paper, apparently not connected with the foregoing. Edited by James Risk; published by Risk, J. Van Nortwick, and A. M. Moore. Democratic. **F**

ARGUS, 1857: Edited by T. W. Stitt, M. D. and Elijah H. Eyer. Soon moved to St. Charles.

NEWS, 1869—December, 1908: Published by Clark A. Lewis. Associated with him were A. J. Roof at the beginning; O. B. Merrill for awhile in 1870; R. N. Youngblood; and C. A. Schaffter. Mr. Lewis was sole editor and proprietor, 1884–1907. In 1907 he leased the paper to Whittleton and Mercer. They continued three months. After two weeks' vacation the publication was resumed by William M. Wrightman but was again discontinued in December, 1908. **U**

YOUNG ADVOCATE, 1871: An amateur semi-monthly, edited by John F. Dewey. Short-lived.

FOX RIVER TIMES, 1876: Established by A. J. Roof, Mr. Gates, and Mr. Fox. Lasted three months.

BEARDSTOWN, CASS COUNTY

BEARDSTOWN CHRONICLE AND ILLINOIS BOUNTY LAND ADVERTISER, June 18, 1833–34: Established by Francis Arenz "as one of several enterprises he engaged in for developing the new country and incidentally promoting his own business interests." Arenz was a Whig, but the paper was neutral, under the management of John B. Fulks. In the fall or winter of 1834 the plant was sold and moved to Rushville. **S**

GAZETTE, August 15, 1845–1852+: Established by Sylvester Emmons, who had precipitately removed from Nauvoo after issuing one number of an Anti-Mormon *Expositor* at that place. The paper was Whig, violently inimical to Democracy and Mormonism. Emmons sold in 1852 to C. D. Dickerson, who after less than eight months sold to J. L. Sherman, who changed the title to **S**

BEARDSTOWN AND PETERSBURG GAZETTE, December 9, 1852–1854+: Conducted by J. L. Sherman as a Whig organ until probably 1854, when he sold to B. C. Drake, who changed the name to **S**

CENTRAL ILLINOISAN, +1854–1861: Conducted by B. C. Drake as a Whig paper until the organization of the Republican party, of which it at once became a supporter. In 1858, before the beginning of the Douglas and Lincoln joint debates, Drake began a daily, which he continued until the beginning of the Civil War, when he closed the office and enlisted. S

DEMOCRAT, March 12, 1858–1865: The first Democratic paper in Beardstown; established by W. D. Shurtliff, and at first edited by Shurtliff and Davis. In 1862 J. K. Vandemark was made editor. He resigned in the fall; in 1863 Charles R. Fisk and wife bought the paper and continued it until the close of the war. S

GAZETTE, 1860+: Established as a Republican paper by one Mitchell, who conducted it until the fall of 1860, when it was taken over by a joint stock company of Republicans, who changed the name to

CENTRAL ILLINOISAN, +1861– April 5, 1883+: Managed by Logan U. Reavis for four or five years, then by the office foreman until March, 1867, when John S. Nicholson took charge. He became sole proprietor in June, 1868, and conducted the paper until April 5, 1883, when he sold to James G. Rice, owner of the *Cass County Democrat*, who merged the two papers as *Illinoisan-Democrat*. He sold in October to Eugene Clark, who rechristened the paper Beardstown *Illinoisan*, and sold to John S. Nicholson. Changed from weekly to semi-weekly, April, 1884. In April, 1899, united with *Star of the West* (established 1888 by H. C. Allard and made a daily March 7, 1892) as *Illinoisan-Star*, edited by Nicholson and published by Nicholson and Allard until 1902; since then by Nicholson and Fulks. It is now edited by J. S. and E. E. Nicholson. It has been consistently Republican. S

HERALD, 1872–1873: Established by Henley Wilkinson and J. W. Lusk as an "out and out" Democratic paper willing to support Greeley to beat Grant. A county-seat fight and the election of Grant discouraged the proprietors, who sold early in 1873 to D. G. Swan, who made the paper Liberal Republican. It lasted but a few months, when it was removed to Bushnell.

CHAMPION, September 25, 1875–1876: Established by George Dann, Sr., George Dann, Jr., and George W. Thompson, with the first named as editor. Independent in politics. Soon suspended.

CASS COUNTY MESSENGER, 1876–1879+: Established by George Dann, Sr., as a Democratic paper. Before the end of the first year Forrest H. Mitchell was associated with Dann as editor and publisher, but withdrew in August, 1877, and was succeeded by

W. B. Bennett. Dann sold in 1879 to Joseph P. Sailer, who changed the name to

Cass County Democrat, +1879–1883+: Democratic; conducted by Joseph P. Sailer until 1882, when J. Sam Fulks and George Martin became associated with him and they started a daily. It was unsuccessful, was sold in 1883 to Darb. McAulley, and by him to James G. Rice, who merged it with *Central Illinoisan* to form *Illinoisan-Democrat.*

Beobachter am Illinois Fluss, 1877–1878+: Established by Rev. A. Schaberhorn, who in the fall of 1878 sold to Theodore Wilkins, who changed the title to

Wochenblatt, +1878–1882: Conducted by Theodore Wilkins until his death in 1881, when the paper was sold to Ross and Son, who removed it in 1882.

BEECHER, WILL COUNTY

Eastern Will Union, 1879 to date (1880): C. E. Carter was editor and publisher.

BELLEVILLE, ST. CLAIR COUNTY

Western News, 1826–1827: A weekly paper, published irregularly by Dr. Joseph Green. Politically "whole hog" Jacksonian, but conducted chiefly to serve Green's political aspirations.

St. Clair Gazette, 1833–1838+: A "whole hog" Jackson paper published by Robert K. Fleming; publication often interrupted. For a part of this period the name was *St. Clair Mercury.* It was merged with

Representative and Belleville News, 1837–1838+: Edited and published by Edward S. Cropley. At some time after December 22, 1838, combined with *Gazette* to form H

Representative and Gazette, +1838–1839+: Edited and published by Edward S. Cropley, who had run the *Representative.* It failed, and from it came the

Advocate, +1839 to date: Edited and published by James L. Boyd and John T. C. Clark, 1840; Mr. Boyd, 1840–1842; Philip B. Fouke, 1842–——; R. K. Fleming, ——: E. H. Fleming, 1849; William K. Fleming, 1849 ——. Mr. Fleming changed it to a daily which was edited by Jehu Baker. It was in charge of and edited by John W. Merritt, 1850–1851; Judge Niles, late in 1851; E. H. Fleming and Mr. Niles, who bought and absorbed the *Illinois Independent* in 1852, when a daily was issued, 1851–1854; Mr. Fleming and James S. Coulter, 1854–1855; Mr. Coulter, 1855–1856; Judge Niles, 1856; Mr. Niles and Edward Schiller, 1856; Mr. Niles, 1856–1857; Collins Van Cleve and T. C. Weeden, 1857–1860. In 1860 E. J. Montague be-

came proprietor. In 1861 the *Newsletter* of Mascoutah was consolidated with the *Advocate;* the title was made *Weekly Belleville Advocate and News Letter*, and Alexander G. Dawes became assistant editor. In the same year the property reverted to Van Cleve. Dawes soon retired and F. M. Hawes became editor. In October *Weekly* was dropped from the title. G. F. Kimball bought the paper in 1863. Hawes was still editor. In 1867 F. M. Taylor bought an interest. In 1872 Taylor bought out Kimball, and continued the paper till 1890, when he closed the office. J. H. Thomas bought the equipment and the paper was continued after a month, with G. F. Kimball as editor. He soon retired. The *Advocate* is now edited and published by Belleville Advocate Publishing Company. Originally Democratic, the paper had become Free Soil in 1857, and later Republican. AEWSPHUF

DER FREIHEITSBOTE FÜR ILLINOIS, 1840: The first German paper in Illinois, printed in St. Louis, but issued in Belleville. It was conducted during the Harrison–Van Buren campaign and "griff mit besonderer Schärfe den Nativismus an." Gustav Koerner was publisher, and wrote nearly all the editorials. After two weeks its title was changed by the addition of *und Missouri.*

SPIRIT OF '76, January, 1839: A Whig paper, started by Casper Thiele and Company, which lived but a short time.

GREAT WESTERN, May 11, 1839–1841: The material of the *Spirit of '76* was bought by J. R. and H. H. Cannon, who in effect continued it under the title of *Great Western.* Whig. File owned by descendants of Edward W. West, in Belleville. A

FARMERS AND MECHANICS REPOSITORY, September 3, 1842–1843: Started by C. and J. L. Sargent, with Elam Rust as editor. They leased the *Great Western* establishment after Cannon had died and his paper had ceased. R. K. Fleming was printer. In 1843 the *Repository* suspended and the outfit was sold to Louis P. Pensoneau, who started the *St. Clair Banner.* Whig. A

ST. CLAIR BANNER, August 1, 1843–——(?): Edited by Wm. C. Kinney. Democratic, supporting Van Buren. Apparently not same as *Banner* below. F

POLITICIAN, April 13–June 8, (?) 1844: A small humorous paper edited and published by F. A. Snyder and Company, in which the editor asserted that he would support no man for public office who was not confident that he deserved the office. S

ILLINOIS BEOBACHTER, 1844: A German paper started by Theodore Englemann, who sold it to Bartholomew Hauck and he moved the office to Quincy, where it was continued until 1848, when Mr. Englemann induced Mr. Hauck to remove the office back to Belleville, and the *Zeitung* appeared. A

ST. CLAIR BANNER, April, 1845–May, 1847+: Edited and published by Louis P. Pensoneau, who in 1847 sold to D. W. Gelwicks and Louis Tramble.[1] Changed to **APF**

TIMES, +1847–1849+: Edited by William C. Kinney and published by D. W. Gelwicks and Louis Tramble. It represented Democracy. Sold to George Harvey and Tom Walker, who changed it to

ILLINOIS REPUBLICAN, +1849–1852: At first it was published by Messrs. Harvey and Walker, and edited by Jedediah Judson. In 1852 it was purchased by Judge Niles and absorbed by the *Advocate*. **PHF**

ZEITUNG, January, 1849 to date: A German paper established by Theodore Englemann and Bartholomew Hauck; the former was editor, the latter, publisher. Gustav Koerner became connected editorially with the paper in 1849; Hauck bought Englemann's interest in 1852; Franz Grimm first became editor in 1853; after four months he was succeeded by August Kattmann. Grimm went to Memphis and in 1854 established *Stimme des Volkes*, the first German paper in Tennessee. January, 1854, Hermann Fiedler became editor; then Hannibal Seylern; Dr. F. Wenzel, 1855–1856. Dr. Wenzel established the *Volksblatt* soon after his withdrawal from the *Zeitung*. He was succeeded by Franz Grimm, 1856–1857; W. Vollraith, 1857. Hauck sold to Friedrich Rupp, 1858, who formed a partnership with F. Grimm of the *Volksblatt*, which was then discontinued. F. Grimm was editor, 1858–1861; Ludwig Seibold, 1861–1862; Edward Lindemann, 1862; Adelbert Lohr, 1862–1863; Charles Neubert, 1863–1874; Heinrich C. Müller, Barnhardt Hartmann, 1874–1875; Eugen Seeger, 1876–1877; G. Rentschler, 1877; L. W. Habercom, 1877–1879. *Stern des Westens* was absorbed in 1877, and *Der Stern* in 1881, when the title of the paper became *Zeitung und Stern*. Sebastian Feitsam bought the paper in 1873. He owned the *Illinois Republican*, which was then absorbed in the *Zeitung*. George Semmelroth bought a half interest in 1874; Heinfelden, Semmelroth, and Metschan became its owners in 1881; Heinfelden became sole owner in 1886. In 1888 C. Angleroth became editor, and the title again became *Zeitung*. August von Lengerke was editor in 1890; William F. Dose, 1891. In 1891 Fred W. Kraft and Fred J. Kern bought the paper and Carl Brandt became editor. The *Zeitung* was consolidated with the *Post* in 1893 as *Post und Zeitung*. Max Gronefeld became editor; William C. Küffner and George Semmelroth were owners. In the same year Küffner died; Mr. Semmelroth formed the Belleville Post and Zeitung Publishing

[1] Gustav Koerner in his *Memoirs* said that he wrote most of the articles in both the *Banner* and the *Beobachter*.

Company, of which he was chief stockholder and business manager. He died in 1895 and his son, Hermann Semmelroth, succeeded him. A. W. Fischer was editor 1895–1896; Otto Steuernagel, 1896–1898; Krüger, 1898——. Began as a weekly; a daily was considered in January, 1853, and a trial number issued in December, when Belleville had no railroad and no telegraph office. A few numbers of a daily were issued in January, 1855; began again November, 1855, and continued till June, 1857; permanently established August, 1876. In politics originally Democratic, modified under Wenzel; strongly anti-slavery under Grimm, who made the paper a powerful influence from 1858 to 1861; supported Lincoln in 1860, Greeley in 1872; Independent till 1884; Democratic until 1893, Republican since. Files 1856–1857, 1860 to date in the office. **PUF**

SUN, 1851: Established by E. H. Fleming. After thirty-six numbers it was joined to *Advocate* and conducted by Mr. Fleming as foreman and Judge Niles as editor.

EAGLE, 1854+: Managed by Bevirt and Shoupe and edited by Governor Reynolds for a while. At first it was a daily but soon changed to a weekly. Changed to **S**

ST. CLAIR TRIBUNE, +1854–1858: John B. Hay was manager and William Orr editor, 1854; Edward R. Stuart and G. A. Harvey, 1854; Mr. Harvey and William E. Hyde, 1854–1856; Mr. Harvey, 1857. In 1857 it was sold to Van Cleve and Weeden, owners and publishers of the *Advocate*. **P**

DER FARMER DES WESTENS, March, 1856: An agricultural paper published from the *Zeitung* office. It was continued but a short time.

VOLKSBLATT, 1856–1858: German and anti-slavery. Established by Dr. F. Wenzel and edited by Louis Didier, 1856–1857; Franz Grimm, 1857–1858. In 1858 it was consolidated with the *Zeitung*. **P**

DEMOKRAT, 1856–1857: Edited by Dr. Wenzel, except for a few weeks, during which time it was edited by A. Ruoff. German and a supporter of Democracy. **P**

SUN, 1857: Established by E. H. Fleming. It was also joined to *Advocate*.

DEMOCRAT, 1857–1883+: Published by Messrs. W. F. Boyakin and H. L. Fleming, 1857–1859; E. R. Stuart and W. H. Shoupe, 1859–1860; W. F. Boyakin was editor from the first; G. A. Harvey, 1860–1863; Duelinger and Russell, 1863 to 1883, when the *Democrat* was combined with the *News* as the *News-Democrat*. Fred J. Kern succeeded William J. Underwood as editor and manager January 1, 1890, and has continued in that position to date. **HPU**

STAR OF EGYPT, 1858–1859: Campaign paper edited and published by Ex-Governor Reynolds and J. W. Hughs. Supported Sidney Breese against Douglas for the Senate.

BANNER, 1859: Edited and published by H. L. Davidson. Democratic.

DAILY DESPATCH, March 7–August 3, 1861: Established by Thomas H. Fleming and G. M. Williams. In twelve days it was transferred to G. A. Harvey; in five months it ceased. P

MINER AND WORKMAN'S ADVOCATE, 1863–1866: Established by John Hinchcliffe. It was very successful and was printed on the first steam power press run in southern Illinois. Removed to East St. Louis, where after one year it was discontinued.

STERN DES WESTENS, 1865–1877: Published by Mr. Schmall from whom it passed into possession of Semmelroth and Kircher; Kircher sold to Daniel Hertel; Hertel retired and Semmelroth became sole proprietor. In 1868 to 1872 Henry Huhn was editor. It was sold in 1872 to Frederick E. Scheel; in 1877 it was consolidated with *Zeitung*. U

FREIE PRESSE, 1868–1870: Established by a joint stock company with Mr. Mueller as editor. Democratic campaign paper. After the campaign the press was bought by Mr. Brickley of Red Bud, where publication was resumed with A. C. Helmicj as editor and Peter Baker, publisher; soon after removed to Belleville, where after another year it was suspended. German.

PEOPLE, 1870–1874: Union Newspaper Company editors and publishers, 1871; Kimball and Taylor, 1872; F. M. Taylor, 1873; Western Printing Company, 1874. Printed at *Advocate* office.

ILLINOIS REPUBLICANER, 1872–1873: Established by a stock company of leading Republicans, with Henry Huhn as editor and manager. In 1873 Sebastian Feitsam bought the stock and, soon afterward, bought the *Zeitung* and merged the two.

TREUBUND, 1873: German; run in the interest of a benevolent society. Established by Messrs. Semmelroth and Company. Edited by Dr. Neubert. Short-lived. U

INDEPENDENT, 1877–1878: Removed from New Athens by George Auerswald. Continued but a few months.

STERN, 1877–1881: Established by Belleville Printing Company with Frederick E. Scheel, editor. In 1878 made daily, at which time Henry Huhn became editor. German. Democratic. It was absorbed by *Zeitung*.

REFORM, 1878; Established by George C. Bunsen. Advocated socialism and communism. Died after four or five months.

JOURNAL, 1878; Established by L. W. Habercom. German. After twenty issues sold to *Zeitung*.

REPUBLICAN, 1879– ——(?): Established by Dr. T. W. Erkert. In five months he sold one third interest to G. F. Kimball and one-third to S. C. Mace. In four months Erkert purchased their interests and became sole owner again. In 1881 one-half interest was sold to H. B. Knight.

BELLFLOWER

JOURNAL, 1877: Glessner Brothers were publishers. Independent.

BELVIDERE, BOONE COUNTY

PRAIRIE BEACON, about 1847: A neutral paper edited by J. P. Nichols. Listed in Illinois Annual Register for 1847.

STANDARD, 1851–1897: Published by Ralph Roberts, 1851–1897. Democratic up to 1856 when it became Republican. Published weekly. **PSF**

REPUBLICAN, 1848–1850: Edited by J. W. Snow. It was an exponent of Whig principles.

————, 1859: Two or three numbers of a weekly issued by a "Professor" Gower. Printed in Rockford.

INDEPENDENT, ——(?)– ——(?): J. Nelson Brockway. Republican. Printed for a short time only.

UNION, ——(?)– ——(?): Jackson Republican. Lasted a year or two.

BOONE COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1864: Established by a Mr. Wilson and continued through the campaign of 1864.

BOONE COUNTY ADVERTISER, 1867(?)–1870. Established about 1867 by W. H. Caldwell. Office moved to Rock Falls.

NORTHWESTERN, 1867 to date: Established by E. H. Talbot. Sold to R. W. Coon in 1870 and to Alson W. Keeler in 1888. Charles R. Truitt owned a half interest for several years, commencing 1895. In 1899 it was sold to Professor Wilgus and conducted by him for a time and sold again to Mr. Keeler. It was afterward conducted for a short time by J. H. Carpenter and then by an incorporated company under the editorship of A. C. Collins. Republican. Daily edition began in 1892. Later combined with *Republican* as *Republican-Northwestern*. **UE**

COURIER, 1870: An advertising sheet issued by Caldwell and Tuttle.

DAILY INDEX, 1875: Established by W. C. Coates. Lasted two or three months.

CURIOSITY HUNTER, +1876: A paper published September, 1827, to July, 1874, at Rockford; discontinued; resumed at Belvidere.

RECORDER, 1878–1881: Founded by C. E. Kelsey and W. A. Welsher. In November, 1878, Welsher retired and C. A. Church succeeded him. Messrs. Church and Kelsey published the paper as a semi-weekly until 1881.

BEMENT, PIATT COUNTY

UNION, 1861: Established by James Shoaff. Short-lived.

COURIER, 1869(?)– ——(?): Weekly.

FARMERS' ADVOCATE, 1873–1875: Mit. A. Bates was editor and publisher.

REGISTER, 1875–1877: J. H. Jacobs, editor and publisher. Republican.

INDEPENDENT, 1878: Established by Benn Biddlecome. Independent. Short-lived.

BENSON

JOURNAL, 1872–(after 1880): E. F. Baldwin, editor and publisher 1874–1875; Journal Company, 1876——. Republican.

BENTON, FRANKLIN COUNTY

STANDARD, 1849 to date: Democratic paper edited by Ira Van Nortwick, 1849–1850; Edward V. Pierce, 1850; Mr. Pierce and John G. Goessman, 1850–1851; Mr. Goessman, 1851–1857. For a year or two James Macklin was associated with Mr. Goessman. Up to the time Mr. Goessman became editor the press and material were owned by citizens of Benton. Edited and published by Mr. Pierce, 1857–1858. From before 1879, and after 1887, A. M. Brownlee was editor and publisher. Hassett and Outten, who changed the name to *Plaindealer*, moved the concern to Du Quoin and established the Du Quoin *Republican*, advocating the election of Lincoln as United States Senator. (Boss,' *Early Newspapers of Illinois*, p. 17.)[1] Only partial files in office. **UF**

DEMOCRAT, 1860– ——(?): Edited and published by A. and G. Sellars.

NATIONAL BANNER, 1868: Edited and published by Thomas Gallagher. Republican. Short-lived.

BAPTIST BANNER, 1874–(after 1881): A Baptist church publication with W. P. Throgmorton editor, and J. C. Turner, publisher. Apparently it was moved to Cairo in 1881 and there published as *Banner and Gleaner*.

[1] Boss's statement seems in error, as the editor of *Standard* asserts that it has been published continuously in Benton since 1849, and is still there.

FRANKLIN COUNTY CHRONICLE, 1879 to date: Established by John A. Wall. Sometime later owned by Charles H. Sneed. James S. Barr, Jr. was editor and publisher in 1887. Plant burned in ——(?). Afterward James Barr revived the paper under the name *Republican*. Sold to R. D. Kirkpatrick; then to J. T. Chenault and W. W. McCreery (Mr. Chenault was editor); in 1898 to Harry L. Trier, who still conducts it. Republican.

FRANKLIN COUNTY COURIER, 1874–1877: Hinson and Garner, 1875–1876; J. M. Hinson and Brother, 1877. Democratic in 1875; Independent, 1876–1877.

BIGGSVILLE, HENDERSON COUNTY

HENDERSON PLAINDEALER, 1867–1869: Moved from Oquawka by a stock company and edited by Ira D. Chamberlin. After a year it was turned over to Judson Graves. After about a year and a half he removed the paper to Kirkwood, and afterward to Galesburg.

CLIPPER, May 29, 1875 to date: Established by M. M. Rowley, who was editor and proprietor until May 1, 1908. He is still proprietor, but S. Frank Rowley has been editor and publisher since May 1, 1908. Republican.

BLANDINSVILLE, McDONOUGH COUNTY

ARGUS, 1857– ——(?)+: It was published for about a year by George W. Smith, who was followed by Charles Cornell. It was changed to the *Hustler*, and is now the *Gazette*, edited and published by John H. Bayliss. Democratic. **F**

LANCET, 1869–1871: R. L. Kimble, editor and publisher. Neutral.

ERA, 1875–1876: W. C. Brown, was editor and publisher. Independent.

McDONOUGH COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1877– ——(?): A Democratic paper, edited and published in 1879 by J. G. Hammond. George S. Fuhr, editor in 1880. Still extant in 1881.

BLOOMINGTON, McLEAN COUNTY

OBSERVER AND McLEAN COUNTY ADVOCATE, January 14, 1837–1839: The first newspaper published in McLean County; founded by James Allin, Jesse W. Fell, and General A. Gridley. The first editor was William Hill; after a year he was succeeded by Jesse W. Fell. The material for the paper was shipped from Philadelphia via New Orleans and was several months in transit. The issue of January 13, 1838, is in the Withers Public Library; that of April 22, 1837, owned by McLean County Historical Society. **P**

McLean County Register, 1845–1846: Started by Russell B. Mitchell, who was succeeded by C. P. Merriman. He began the

Western Whig, 1846–1852+: Established by C. P. Merriman, 1846–1849; Messrs. Johnson and Underwood, 1849–1851; published by Messrs. Merriman and Jesse W. Fell, and edited by Mr. Fell, 1851–1852. Files in Withers Public Library; vol. 3, no. 45–vol. 5, no. 52; (September 18, 1849 — November 19, 1851, many missing). McLean County Historical Society has odd copies from December 25, 1847, to August 27, 1851. In 1852 Mr. Merriman became its proprietor, the name having been changed by Mr. Fell to the **PF**

Intelligencer, +1852–1853+: Mr. Merriman changed the name to the *Pantagraph*. File, January 14, 1852 – November 16, 1853, in Withers Public Library. Copies owned by McLean County Historical Society. **PS**

Pantagraph, +1853(?) to date: In June, 1854, Jacob Morris bought a half interest; C. P. Merriman became sole owner and editor in November, 1855. In 1855 he sold to William E. Foote, who, with E. J. Lewis as editor, continued it till January, 1860. Then in 1861 he was succeeded by Carpenter, Steele, and Briggs; then, in 1867, by John D. Scibird and Orin Waters; Jesse W. Fell, W. O. Davis and James P. Taylor, 1868. Editors since E. J. Lewis: William E. Foote, H. B. Norton, Thomas Moore, J. H. Burnham, F. J. Briggs, B. F. Diggs, E. R. Roe, J. B. Bates, W. O. Davis. Davis was publisher and proprietor, February 20, 1871, to December 18, 1907, when the property was incorporated, with W. O. Davis, president, H. O. Davis, vice-president, C. C. Marquis, secretary and treasurer. Started as a weekly, a daily was issued beginning June 19, 1854. After a few months it was changed to tri-weekly, till October, 1855. Weekly till February 23, 1857; daily and weekly ever since. Republican. The *Pantagraph* has long been one of the best known papers in Illinois because of its conservatism and reliability. The peculiar name is explained by C. P. Merriman as derived from *panta*, neuter accusative plural of the Greek adjunct *pas*, plus *graph*, imperative of *grapho*.

Complete file in rooms of McLean Co. Hist. Soc. **AUPSF**

Reveille, 1848–1850: A Democratic paper started by James Shoaff, editor, and Joseph Duncan. Removed to Pekin. Copies owned by McLean County Historical Society.

State Bulletin, May, 1850–1853+: Established by H. K. Davis; edited and published by him until 1852. Sold to E. Strafford. In 1853 edited by Washington Wright and owned by C. Wakefield. In the same year its name was changed to

ILLINOIS CENTRAL TIMES, +1853–1855+: Conducted by W. Wright until 1854; then by Wright, Underwood and Sharp; then bought by Meyers and Miller; then Meyers and D. J. Combs; bought by J. and B. F. Snow in 1855. The establishment was destroyed by fire in October, 1855. The paper soon reappeared as the S

TIMES, November, +1855–August, 1862: The paper was conducted by J. and B. F. Snow with such marked southern proclivities and such expressions of sympathy for the southern states that the ninety-fourth regiment, Illinois Volunteers, a McLean County regiment, abetted by prominent citizens, destroyed the office and press, and with them the paper, in August, 1862. A

NATIONAL FLAG, 1855–1858+: Published by Samuel Pike and his son, Wallace Pike; a daily edition was published in 1857 by Edson and Aiken. It became the McLean Co. Hist. Soc. Lib. F

ILLINOIS STATESMAN, +1858–1860: Published by Henry P. Merriman and Charles E. Orme. McLean Co. Hist. Lib.

ILLINOIS TEACHER, 1855–1857+: The first annual state teachers' institute, held at Peoria originated the idea of the *Teacher*. W. F. N. Arny was appointed its first editor. It was conducted at Bloomington for two years, with Merriman and Morris as publishers; then it was moved to Peoria, and later to Springfield. S

ILLINOIS BAPTIST, 1856–1858 (?): A religious publication, published by William P. Withers; edited by S. J. Bundy, H. J. Eddy, and E. R. Roe. After a brief career it was combined with *Northwestern Baptist* or *Christian Times* of Chicago.
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McLEAN COUNTY ECHO, June 12, 1863–1864: A daily, edited and published by C. P. Merriman. Vol. 1, nos. 1, 6, 9, 15 owned by McLean Co. His. Soc. Lib.

REPUBLICAN, May, 1865–1774: Established as a daily, with Major S. P. Remington as editor. Soon changed to weekly, and conducted by A. B. Holmes and brother.

REPUBLICAN ADVERTISER, 1865–1874: A bi-weekly advertising sheet issued by the *Republican*.

McLEAN COUNTY JOURNAL, 1865–1868+: Established by F. F. Luse and E. B. Buck. It was sold to A. J. Goff and changed to

JOURNAL, 1868+: A. J. Goff was editor and proprietor. In November, 1868 Goff sold to Scibird and Waters, who changed it to

LEADER, +November 15, 1868–May, 1899: John D. Scibird and Orin Waters were proprietors and Elias Smith editor. Established as a weekly, an afternoon daily was started February 22, 1869. This soon changed to a morning issue but was changed to evening again in 1870. B. F. Diggs and C. P. Merriman were

political editors; owned by a stock company, 1872–1874, with Orin Waters as manager. In 1874 Orin Waters became sole owner and publisher. In 1875 the establishment became the property of M. F. Leland; in 1891 Leader Publishing Company; in 1893 L. A. Cass was owner and editor; in 1897 Owen Scott and H. C. De Motte, who continued the publication until 1899, when it was absorbed by the *Bulletin*. Republican. PU

DEMOCRAT, April, 1868–1873+: S. S. Parke and D. B. Williams are mentioned as the first editors, followed by C. L. Steele, P. H. Hayand E. P. Stephenson. Weekly until April, 1871; daily and weekly after that date. Purchased by Joseph Carter and renamed.

ANTI-MONOPOLIST, +August, 1873–1874+: Established by S. S. Parke. After August, 1873, it was edited and owned by Joseph Carter. Ably edited and frequently quoted. It was merged with the *McLean County Anti-Monopolist*.

ANZEIGER, 1868–1873(?): A German paper established by G. Clemen. In 1872 C. M. Henrici was editor and proprietor; in 1873 Dr. E. H. Makk, after which it seems to have been discontinued. Became a semi-weekly. Republican.

TEMPERANCE STANDARD, 1868–1873: A paper devoted to temperance and prohibition. J. E. Nichols was editor and owner.

WESLEYANA, 1866–———(?): Issued at Wesleyan University. James H. Shaw was editor; R. A. Eaton and R. B. Cresswell, publishers.

MERCHANTS' ADVERTISER, 1868: Published by A. B. Holmes. Short-lived.

SCHOOLMASTER, 1873–1886+: Successor, in a way, to the *Illinois Schoolteacher*. John Hull was the first editor. He was succeeded by Aaron Gove, E. C. Hewitt and John W. Cook. Mr. Cook and R. R. Reeder edited it until 1886, when George P. Brown became editor and the title was changed to *Public School Journal*. The name was again changed in 1900 to *Home and School Education*. H

ADVANCE, (before 1870): Had a brief existence.

EVENING ARGUS (before 1870):

DEUTSCHE VOLKS-ZEITUNG, 1870: Edited by Carl Vesofski. Short-lived.

MCLEAN COUNTY DEUTSCHE PRESSE, March, 1870–(?): Established by John Koester, and conducted by him until his death, when it was discontinued. Liberal in politics. For several years it was the only German paper in the county. U

ALUMNI JOURNAL, June, 1870–1876: Issued by Illinois Wesleyan University. Edited by Professors H. C. De Motte and B. S. Potter. It was succeeded by

STUDENTS' JOURNAL, 1877–1881: Published by the Students' Publishing Association of Illinois Wesleyan University; edited by H. C. De Motte. Monthly.

REAL ESTATE JOURNAL, 1871–1876: O. B. Harris was editor and proprietor.

BANNER OF HOLINESS, October, 1872–(after 1881): Established by Henry Reynolds and John P. Brooks. Brooks sold to L. B. Kemp in 1874; Dr. J. E. Voak became publisher in 1875, and Brooks was editor. Religious.

LITTLE WATCHMAN, 1872– —— (?): A Sunday School paper published by the Leader Company, with Levi H. Dowling and Knox P. Taylor as editors and owners.

ILLINOIS TRADE REVIEW, November, 1872: Established by A. J. Goff and E. C. Hewitt. Short-lived.

ENTERPRISE, 1873: Published by Patrick H. Day.

WESTERN JURIST, May, 1874–April 28, 1881: A monthly law journal, edited by Thomas F. Tipton; published by Tipton and Hill, 1874–1876; Newton B. Reed was associate editor, William Hill and Company publishers, 1876–1877; Thomas F. Tipton and James B. Black (Indianapolis, Ind.), editors, Newton B. Reed, managing editor, 1877–1878; Orlando W. Aldrich, editor, 1878–1881. Title was changed with vol. 4 to *Monthly Jurist;* the name and character were changed with the issue of June 26, 1879 (vol. 6, no. 9) to *Weekly Jurist, a Newspaper.* Discontinued April 28, 1881. **H**

McLEAN COUNTY ANTI-MONOPOLIST, 1874: Removed from Saybrook by O. C. Sabin. After one year A. J. Goff bought the *Anti-Monopolist* and combined with it the Saybrook *Banner* under this title. Supported the Grange movement. It was probably succeeded after about a year by

REPUBLIC, 1875: A short-lived paper edited and published by A. J. Goff.

POST, 1874–1878: A German weekly established by H. J. Stierlin. **U**

APPEAL, 1875: An independent weekly established by Henry Sturges and Thomas Wolfe. Suspended after about a year.

WESTERN ADVANCE, 1875–1879: Established and edited by Robert D. Addis and George L. Curtis.

ODD FELLOWS HERALD, 1876–1891(?): Established by Matthew T. Scott, with George M. Adams as editor. Removed about 1891.

DEMOCRATIC NEWS, January, 1877–1879: Edited and published by Dudley Creed. Consolidated with the *Courier*, November, 1879. **P**

SUNDAY HERALD, July, 1877: Continued for only three months.

HERALD OF HEALTH, 1878– —— (?): Published by Dr. Elias W. Gray. Not mentioned in newspaper directory of 1879.

SPIRIT OF THE GRANGE, July 22. 1876 – ——(?): A weekly, published by R. M. Guy. Vol. 1, no. 7, August 3, 1876, owned by McLean County Historical Society.

SUNDAY MORNING STAR, 1879–1880: A. B. Holmes, publisher. Short-lived.

SUNDAY MORNING EYE, January, 1878–1898: A society and literary paper, the second attempt at Sunday journalism in Bloomington. Established by H. R. Persinger, who sold in 1886 to George M. Hutchin. Mr. Hutchin sold to the *Bulletin* in 1898 and the paper was no longer published. The paper is referred to in one place as *Saturday Truth and Sunday Eye.*

JOURNAL, 1878 to date: A German paper established by Frederick A. Schmitt. After a few months H. Meyer became editor and owner. It was later bought by Julius Dietrich, who still conducts it.

WEEKLY COURIER, 1879: A short-lived Sunday journal.

BLUE ISLAND, COOK COUNTY

HERALD, 1873–1876+: Established by C. A. Feistcorn. In 1876 a daily was established under the name of *Press*. Changed to

STANDARD, +1876 to date: A. F. Freed, editor and publisher, 1877–——; Wade Errett and John Volp were editors and publishers, 1890–1894; Wade Errett, 1894–1904; L. L. Errett, 1904–1908; C. Errett, 1908 to date. Independent. P

BLUFFS, SCOTT COUNTY

RECORD, April 25, 1878– ——(?): Edited by Dr. W. C. Carver and published by him and James Linkins. W. C. Carver soon became sole proprietor and editor.

BRADFORD, STARK COUNTY

CHRONICLE, 1871–1872: Established by B. F. Thomson, editor, and E. H. Edwards, publisher. It was printed at Princeton until the Wyoming *Post* was started, after which it was printed at that office. Short-lived.

BRAIDWOOD, WILL COUNTY

WESTERN MINER, 1870–1872: John James and William Mooney were editors; Alexander McIntosh, publisher.

NEWS, 1872–1874: Established by Jacob Warner. Soon sold to Oliver J. Smith.

JOURNAL, 1872–1876: Established by Thomas Simonton, and conducted by him until 1876.

REPUBLICAN, June, 1875–(after 1881): Established by Fred Dalton. Soon sold to H. H. Parkinson. Became a daily in 1877.

HERALD, 1876: A campaign paper run by Jacob Warner.

DAILY PHŒNIX, 1877: Established by R. W. Nelson. Only a few numbers issued.

REPORTER, 1879–(after 1884): Established by Edward D. Conley.

BRIGHTON, MACOUPIN COUNTY

ADVANCE, April, 1871–1880: A. G. Meacham was editor and proprietor until 1875, when A. M. Parker bought in the Shipman *True Flag* and the firm became Meacham and Parker. R. D. Suddeth leased Meacham's interest in 1876. and was succeeded in 1877 by L. H. Chapin. Parker bought Meacham's share in the next year and continued the paper. Neutral in politics till 1876, thenceforward Republican. U

NEWS, 1879 to date: Established with Holly Glenny as editor; Snively and Kessner, publishers. After a year L. H. Chapin succeeded Glenny. Later a Mr. Robertson bought the paper; then Frank Merrill, succeeded by William C. Merrill. A. William and George Amass bought the paper from Merrill, and in 1907 sold to W. D. and Roscoe Franklin. They sold January 1, 1909, to W. B. Teistort, and he, July 1, 1909, to Frank W. Lauck.

BRIMFIELD, PEORIA COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1874–1879+: Established by R. H. Miller, who later moved the paper to Elmwood and from there issued a Brimfield edition with C. H. Hamilton as associate editor. Independent. U

PEORIA COUNTY NEWS, 1879 to date: Established by Moody and Chapman; sold to R. P. Chaddock, 1880; Charles F. Overacker, 1888; J. F. Pope and Addison Pacey, 1889; Addison Pacey, 1894 to date. Files since 1889 in the office. The name has been changed to the *Brimfield News*. Independent.

BRISTOL, KENDALL COUNTY

KENDALL CLARION, 1859–1861.

BUCKINGHAM, KANKAKEE COUNTY

MONITOR, 1879+: Established by William L. Courow. Bought by John W. Bartholomew and changed to

NEWS, +1879–(after 1883): Established by John W. Bartholomew; sold to a Mr. Van Doren, who was conducting it in 1883. It has since been discontinued.

BUCKLEY, IROQUOIS COUNTY

ENQUIRER, 1875– ——(?): Lowe and Riggs were editors and publishers, 1875–1876; Lowe and Cowan, 1877; Lowe and Warren, 1880; E. W. Warren, 1882; J. F. Pierson, 1884. Independent. Printed at the office of the Onarga *Review*.

BUDA, BUREAU COUNTY

TELEGRAPH, 1869–1870: Charles M. King, editor and publisher.

CALL, October 26, 1877–1879: Established by M. M. Monteith and continued about two years.

HOME GUARD, 1879+: Established by H. P. Fitch. Soon changed to

WEEKLY CALL, +1879+: And sold to D. B. Payne, who changed the name to

GLEANER, +1879–1880+: This continued one year, when it became the *Bureau County Times*. In 1882 it became the Buda *Press* Afterward discontinued.

BUNKER HILL, MACOUPIN COUNTY

JOURNAL, December, 1859–May, 1860: Edited by E. J. Bronson.

UNION GAZETTE, January, 1866–1869(?)+: Established by A. W. Edwards and conducted by him as a Republican paper until January, 1867, when he sold to A. R. Sawyer and F. Y. Hedley, who made it Independent in politics. Sawyer died in 1868 and the paper again became Republican under Hedley. The name was changed to

GAZETTE, +1869(?) to date: F. Y. Hedley continued as editor and proprietor until January, 1878, when W. S. Silence became publisher. Said and Poorman leased the paper in January, 1879. Later, Phil C. Hansen edited the paper for a stock company of local merchants, who bought it about 1895. Hansen bought the stock later and sold in 1903 to W. B. Powell, then running the *News* (established 1900), who combined the two as *Gazette-News*, an Independent paper. He sold to Edward Wilson in 1904, who a year later sold to —— Truesdale, the present editor and publisher. Independent Republican. P

BUSHNELL, McDONOUGH COUNTY

UNION PRESS, 1865–1868+: Established by D. G. Swan. After about two years he sold to Andrew Hageman, who changed its name to

RECORD, +1868 to date: After two years sold to A. W. Van Dyke; he sold in 1873 to S. A. Epperson and W. A. Spencer. Epperson became sole owner in 1874. In 1879 it was edited and published

by the Record Publishing Company. In 1907 John R. Camp was editor and publisher. Republican.

PEOPLE'S PAPER, 1872–1873: D. G. Swan was editor and publisher.

GLEANER, January, 1876–(after 1884): Established and edited by J. E. Cummings; Van Dyke and Cummings, 1882; A. W. Van Dyke, 1884. Independent. Discontinued.

BYRON, OGLE COUNTY

NEWS, 1874–1877: Established by Isaac B. Bickford, who had purchased the *Forreston Journal*, moved it to Byron and changed its name. It was not revived after the fire of November 13, 1877, when the office was entirely destroyed.

TIMES, 1876– ——(?): Established by E. H. Love, soon succeeded by Dr. Wm. F. Artz, who sold to C. E. Howe. On May 1, 1877 G. W. Hawkes purchased an interest in the paper, and it was published by Howe and Hawkes until October 22, 1877, when Howe retired and Hawkes assumed entire management. Apparently it had been discontinued before 1881.

EXPRESS, 1878– ——(?): Ervin and Hewitt were editors and publishers; in 1884, A. W. Ervin.

CAIRO, ALEXANDER COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1841: Established by a Mr. McNeer. The paper was forced to discontinue after a short time, owing to its failure to support one Holbrook, then the most influential man of Cairo.

DELTA, 1848–1849: Established by Add Saunders; neutral as to politics. A file, April 13, 1848–July, 1849, is extant in Cairo. F

SUN, 1851–1852: Established by Frank Rawlings. It was run in the interest of the Emporium City Company, which company desired to break down Cairo and to build the great city at that point. Democratic.

CITY TIMES, 1851–1855+: Edited by Len G. Faxon and W. A. Hacker, 1854–1855; latter part of 1855 by Hacker and Willett. It was merged with the *Delta*. Democratic.

DELTA, 1855+: It contained in its columns but little politics. Edited by L. G. Faxon, and after four months' existence it united with the *Times* and became known as the

TIMES AND DELTA, +1855–1859: Edited by Faxon and E. Willett. Tri-weekly and weekly.

EGYPTIAN, 1856+: Established by Messrs. Bond and McGinnis. This was Ben Bond, the youngest son of the first governor of Illinois. Democratic. It soon passed under the control of S. S. Brooks, and the name was changed to F

GAZETTE, +1856–1864: Edited by Mr. Brooks, 1856–1858; John A. and James Hull, 1858–1859; M. B. Harrell, 1859–1864. It was destroyed by fire in 1858 and the Messrs. Hull moved the *Carbondale Transcript* to Cairo. Harrell sold the paper in 1864 to Cairo News Company, Republican, organized by John H. Barton.

JOURNAL, 1858: Published for only a few months. A German paper.

ZEITUNG, 1859: Published semi-weekly for four months. It was issued from the office of the *Gazette*.

EGYPTIAN OBELISK, 1861: Established by William Hunter; Republican; continued through two issues only.

DAILY NEWS, 1863–1865: Established by a joint stock company under management of John W. Trover; Republican; the first Cairo paper to take the Associated Press dispatches. Dan Munn, its first editor, was succeeded in a short time by John A. Hull. Publication continued intermittently until 1865.

DEMOCRAT, August 3, 1863–1868: Daily and weekly; established by Thomas Lewis, who moved it from Springfield, Illinois. This was the first effort made to run a fully equipped metropolitan daily in Cairo. A serious obstacle was the maintenance of martial law in the town. All of southern Illinois and parts of Kentucky and Missouri supported the *Democrat*. H. C. Bradsby was first editor, assisted by C. C. Phillips and John W. McKee. Bradsby was succeeded after one year by J. Birney Marshall, who, retiring after some months, was succeeded by Joel G. Morgan. After a short time John H. Oberly replaced Morgan. In 1868 the *Democrat* and the Cairo *Times*, were consolidated under the name *Democrat;* John H. Oberly, editor; H. L. Goodall, general superintendent. After fifteen months the paper was sold by the sheriff to John H. Oberly, and publication ceased. Files are owned by Hon. J. M. Lansden, as follows: October– December, 1865; 1866, 1867, a part of 1868. SHP

CAMP REGISTER: May, June, July, 1861. Daily, for soldiers mostly.

DAILY DRAMATIC NEWS, winter of 1864–1865: Published by H. L. Goodall in the interest of the Cairo Atheneum.

WAR EAGLE, +1864–1866+: A soldiers' paper first published at Columbus, Kentucky, by H. L. Goodall, who moved it, 1864, to Cairo; Republican; enlarged and published from the latter part of 1866 as the

TIMES, +1866–1878+: Major Caffrey was general editor. After a brief suspension it was revived, 1868–1871, by H. L. Goodall. In 1869 it was published by Goodall Brothers. In

1878 it was absorbed by the *Democrat*. Files of the *War Eagle*, for three or four months including April, 1865, are owned by Mr. Lansden. Republican. Daily, then daily and weekly. P

MONDAY LEADER, March, 1865– ——(?): Vol. 1, no. 4, April 17, 1865, is in the Public Library. P

CITY ITEM, September, 1865–1866: Established by Bradsby and Field; not a serious effort at a paper; Independent in politics; lived something over a year. P

UNION, 1866: Established by H. L. Goodall; Mr. Hutchinson, editor. The paper was soon sold to J. H. Barton and publication discontinued. Republican.

SUNDAY LEADER, 1866: Established by Edward S. Trover. A literary paper, issued every Sunday morning; its editor was the sole contributor.

OLIVE BRANCH, 1867: By Mrs. Mary Hutchinson; a family paper; lived one year.

BULLETIN, November, 1868 to date: Daily; established by John H. Oberly, who was chief editor, with M. B. Harrell as associate. July, 1878, the office was leased to Mr. Burnett, who, January 1, 1881, became sole owner and proprietor. During the first years of Burnett's control, M. B. Harrell was editor. He was succeeded by Ernest Thielecke, and he, by the present editor, E. W. Thielecke. Files, 1868–1882, are owned by Hon. J. M. Lansden. PU

SUN, 1869–1881: Established by D. L. Davis. After a few months, changed to a daily and soon thereafter sold to the Jay brothers, who, having discontinued the publication of the *Sun* started the *News*, January 1, 1881. After the daily was established the weekly was called *Sun and Commercial*. A file, August–October, 1878, is owned by Hon. J. M. Lansden. U

PAPER, 1871–1876: Established by M. B. Harrell; name changed after a short time to *Gazette*, which it remained until 1876, when the paper was sold and moved to Clinton, Kentucky. Democratic.

COMMERCIAL, 1872–1873+: Louis L. Davis was editor. Consolidated with *Sun* in 1873.

ARGUS-JOURNAL, +1876–October, 1907: Begun in 1864 at Mound City as *Weekly Argus and Mound City Journal*, this paper was moved to Cairo in 1876, named *Argus-Journal*, and issued from both towns. Edited and published by H. F. Potter. Independent. Soon after the office was moved to Cairo, there was issued from the same office the U

DAILY ARGUS, 1878–October, 1907: An independent paper edited and published by H. F. Potter. It was discontinued with the preceding. U

RADICAL REPUBLICAN, 1878: Issued for a short time from the office of the *Sun*. Louis L. Davis was editor and publisher.

THREE STATES, ——(?)–February, 1883: Colored; politics unknown; died February, 1883.

GAZETTE, ——(?)–——(?): W. T. Scott, a negro, was editor, proprietor, and publisher.

CALEDONIA, PULASKI COUNTY

PULASKI DEMOCRAT, ——(?)–——(?): Given in Gerhard's list for 1856 as published by Mr. Miller.

CAMBRIDGE, HENRY COUNTY

HENRY COUNTY GAZETTE, 1853–1856(?): Edited by J. W. Eystra. Sold to citizens of Kewanee.

HENRY COUNTY CHRONICLE, 1858 to date: The first editor was Dr. Dunn, 1858–1861. In 1860 Messrs. Patten and Denison leased the office and press of the company. Mr. Patten was both owner and editor, 1861–1866; Everett and Casson, 1866–1867; George C. Smithe, 1867 till after 1879; in 1907 edited and published by John M. Mavity.

DEMOCRAT, July, 1869–1871+: Started by a number of Democrats, with J. L. Rock, from the Chicago *Times*, as editor. After a few months it was sold, and then edited by J. G. Ayers until 1871, when it was sold to B. W. Seaton, who brought his *Prairie Chief* from Galva via Toulon and renamed the *Democrat*

PRAIRIE CHIEF, +November, 1871 to date: Given in Rowell as a Democratic paper established in 1867, and edited and published in 1879 by B. W. Seaton. The name was afterward changed to *Chief*. In February, 1902, B. W. Seaton sold his interest to his son, John H. Seaton, the present editor and publisher. U

CAMP POINT, ADAMS COUNTY

ENTERPRISE, April, 1866–November, 1872: Established by William R. Carr. In 1869 Ira D. Chamberlain was editor and E. E. B. Sawyer, publisher. Material purchased to establish the *Journal*. No files in existence.

JOURNAL, February, 1873 to date: Established by George W. Cyrus and Thomas Bailey. Mr. Bailey retired in 1876; Mr. Cyrus still publishes the paper. Independent in politics. Complete files in the office.

CANTON, FULTON COUNTY

HERALD, 1837: Edited by G. B. Perry and P. Stone. It was short-lived.

WESTERN TELEGRAPH, 1840–1841+: Edited by Stone and Christ. Changed to

FULTON TELEGRAPH, +1841: Edited by Messrs. A. L. Davison and P. Stone, and published by Mr. Stone. **A**

FULTON BANNER, 1843– ——(?): Augustus R. Sparks was editor and publisher in 1846. Democratic. **A**

DEMOCRATIC REPOSITORY, 1847–1848: Edited by C. J. Sellon.

REGISTER, 1849 to date: For a few months it was edited by C. J. Sellon, and the next few months by Slaughter and Sharkey. With Mr. Sharkey as sole proprietor it was edited for a short time by John S. Winter. In 1849 Mr. Sharkey secured the services of John S. Brooks as editor, when it became a Democratic organ, being neutral before. It soon became neutral again, but opposed the Kansas-Nebraska bill. In 1856 it became Republican. In February, 1850, its publication ceased and the office fell into the hands of T. Maple, who, in August, 1850, sold it to Thomas J. Walker of Belleville, Illinois. He revived it and employed William H. Haskell as editor. M. A. L. Davidson became partner and editor. From 1852 to 1853 the paper was run by Mr. Nicolet and Mr. Davidson. In 1853 Mr. Davidson died and his interest was purchased by Alpheus Davison — it now became neutral as to politics. It was suspended for two months in 1862, both of its proprietors being in the army. In 1866 the firm name became Nicolet and Magie, issuing a Republican paper. Later the firm name was Magie and Tanquary; in 1875 Mr. Magie became sole proprietor. Jesse N. Berry and E. R. Magie, son of former editor, leased and edited it from 1877–1878, when James K. Magie and Son became its editors. In 1878 it favored the National Greenback party and lost its influence. Then C. E. Snively purchased it, changed it to a Republican organ, and has conducted it ever since. Files in the office. A daily was started in 1890. **SUF**

ILLINOIS PUBLIC LEDGER, 1854 to date: It was started at Lewistown in 1850, and is now known as the *Fulton County Ledger*. Edited by Griffith and Bideman, 1854–1856; Thornton and Bideman, 1856–1857; S. Y. Thornton, 1857–August 2, 1909, on which date S. Y. Thornton died and was succeeded by his son, W. E. Thornton. Mr. Thornton was the first editor to give space to local notes in the *Ledger*. The *Illinois Public Ledger* was changed to the *Fulton Ledger*, and after Mr. Thornton got possession it was changed to the *Fulton County Ledger*. Democratic. **F**

ADVERTISER, 1877–1879+: Established by Horace J. Leigh and Gilbert L. Miller. Successively non-partisan, Republican, non-partisan. C. W. Kent purchased Mr. Miller's interests in 1879, when the paper changed its name to

COURIER, +1873–1875: Davidson and Son, editors and publishers.

ILLINOIS MASTER WORKMAN, 1875–1878: Succeeded by

ADVERTISER, 1878– —— (?): This was succeeded by

TIMES, 1879– —— (?): "Independent of party or sect." Succeeded in turn by *Republican*, *Cantonian*, and *Leader*, the last of which expired in 1906. H

CAPRON, BOONE COUNTY

MESSENGER, 1869–1871: Edited and published by Wing and Sawyer, 1870; M. W. Nesmith and Rev. J. Hitchcock, 1871.

HERALD, 1878 (?)– 1887: A. H. S. Perkins ran this paper "for eight or ten years" and discontinued it in 1887.

CARBONDALE, JACKSON COUNTY

TRANSCRIPT, 1857–1858+: Edited by J. A. Hull. The paper was moved to Cairo in 1858. Files in possession of General D. H. Brush, U. S. A. (See Cairo *Gazette*.)

TIMES, 1859–1863+: Established and edited by J. A. Hull. Although Democratic in its politics it denounced the Southern cause and strongly favored the Union. It is said to have been the first Democratic paper in the West to assume this attitude. Hull sold in 1863 to J. H. Vincent, who changed the name to

NEW ERA, +1863–1873+: J. H. Vincent, who had made the paper Republican, sold to John H. Barton in 1866. In 1870, J. H. Barton is named as editor; Hull and Roberts, 1871; John A. Hull, 1872. Sold to Reverend Andrew Luce, who changed the name to

OBSERVER, + 1873–1883(?): Luce sold after several years to Colonel D. H. Brush, who soon sold to C. W. Jerome. Reverend Mr. Holding became editor. In 1876 Will, Van Benthusen and Morgan bought the paper, but in 1877 it reverted to Mr. Jerome, who later sold to A. Ackerman, who was editor and publisher in 1879. Republican.

HERALD OF TRUTH, 1869(?)– ——(?): Weekly.

JACKSON COUNTY ERA AND SOUTHERN ILLINOISAN, 1873– ——(?): Published at Murphysboro; dated from Murphysboro and Carbondale. Republican. (See Murphysboro.)

DEMOCRAT, 1876: A Democratic campaign sheet established by Bell Irvin, who edited it till August, when it was taken in charge by John W. Burton. He sold to Morgan Brothers, who started the

FREE PRESS, 1877 to date: Edited at first by J. H. Barton; and published by the Free Press Company in 1907. It is managed by Charles Reith and John Galbraith. A daily was started in 1903.

CARLINVILLE, MACOUPIN COUNTY

MACOUPIN STATESMAN, March 4, 1852–1855+: Edited by Jefferson L. Dugger, 1852–1855. It was an advocate of Whig principles. Changed to SF

MACOUPIN COUNTY SPECTATOR, +1855–1868+: Edited by George H. Holliday, who made it a Democratic paper, 1855–1857; Charles E. Foote, 1857–1858; John F. Meginness, 1858–1861; Messrs. Shinkel and Gray, 1861–1862; Horace Gwin, 1862; J. R. Flynn and P. B. Vanderen, 1862. The last named soon became the responsible proprietor and editor and he continued it until 1868, when the Merritts of Springfield and J. A. I. Birdsell became possessed of it. Pending the negotiations between Foote and Meginness the *Spectator* was suspended from December 21, 1858, to January 12, 1859. The Merritts were connected with the paper for only a short time. Birdsell changed its name to

MACOUPIN TIMES, +1868–1871+: He remained its editor, 1868–1870; H. R. Whipple, 1870–1871. In 1871 the leading men of the Democratic party of Carlinville concluded to form a joint stock company and publish a more thoroughly Democratic paper. The work of canvassing for the stock was assigned to Restores C. Smalley. When the stock was sold and the money raised, the company bought the *Times* printing office. The name of the paper was changed to

MACOUPIN COUNTY ENQUIRER, +1871 to date: Edited by E. A. Snively, 1871–1877; Samuel Reed, 1877–1879. In 1873 the company leased the institution to Mr. Snively and he published it until 1877, when W. H. Reed leased it. In January, 1879, Reed was succeeded by E. A. Snively and L. C. Glessner, and in March, 1883, Mr. Glessner sold out to Mr. Snively, who soon sold the paper to E. B. Buck. In August, 1886, W. J. and C. J. Lumpkin took charge of the paper and eventually bought it. Since the death of W. J. Lumpkin a few years ago C. J. Lumpkin has been owner, editor, and publisher. When Messrs. Snively and Glessner succeeded Mr. Reed, they discontinued the *Herald*. The paper was semi-weekly until 1879. A daily was started in 1896. Democratic.

FREE DEMOCRAT, September 6, 1856–1867+: Edited by William C. Phillips for the first month; Mr. Phillips and Henry M. Kimball, 1856–1859. Phillips announced in the first number that the paper was Republican, would support Fremont and stand by the ticket of the Bloomington convention. In 1859 Mr. Kimball purchased Mr. Phillips' interest and remained sole proprietor for eight years. When Mr. Kimball assumed proprietorship John M. Palmer took charge of the editorial department as political editor and continued so till near the end of the year, when he was nominated for Congress. From that date till 1867, Mr. Kimball was sole editor and proprietor. In March, 1867, the name was changed to **AF**

DEMOCRAT, +March, 1867 to date: Edited and managed by A. W. Edwards and H. M. Kimball, 1867–1872; H. M. Kimball, 1872–1879. A. G. David was manager 1879–1881. Since 1882 it was published and edited by A. G. David until October 1, 1901, when James E. McClure bought A. G. David's stock and became publisher. From 1856 to 1868 the *Democrat* was issued weekly, then weekly and semi-weekly until October, 1898, daily then until May 24, 1902. The paper has always been Republican. There is a complete file in the office. **S**

CONSERVATIVE, March 24–June 2, 1868: A campaign paper edited by George H. Holliday and published by the Macoupin Printing Company. File owned by A. G. David and by the Macoupin Printing Company.

VOLKSBLATT, May–November, 1870: A German campaign organ, with Theodore Fischer as editor.

BLACKBURN GAZETTE, October, 1871–1873: A monthly quarto published at Blackburn University. Edited by students.

MACOUPIN COUNTY HERALD, March, 1879– ——(?): A Democratic paper established by L. C. Glessner, with E. A. Snively as editor. After a short time it was merged in the *Enquirer*.

MACOUPIN ANZEIGER, 1879: Established by H. Schlange. German.

CARLYLE, CLINTON COUNTY

BEACON, 1843: Edited by George B. Price. Whig. It was suspended, revived, and changed to

TRUTH TELLER, 1844–1846: Edited by Mr. Price and Benjamin Bond. In 1846 Mr. Price moved to it Carrollton and founded the Carrollton *Gazette* (which see). The *Truth Teller* was also an organ of the Whigs.

PRAIRIE FLOWER, 1851: Founded by Benjamin Bond and edited by E. Z. C. Judson; later by Zophar Case.

AGE OF PROGRESS, 1853–1854+: Published by J. W. Snow and edited by Mr. Bond. Changed to

CALUMET OF PEACE, +1854–1859+: Edited and published by Benjamin Bond, 1854–1857; C. C. McGinnis and Henry Pallies proprietors and Mr. Bond editor, 1857–1858; Zophar Case and Company, 1858–1859. Changed to

REVIELLE, +1859–1863+: Edited and published by C. C. McGinnis and J. W. Peterson. They changed it from a Democratic to a Republican paper, and changed the name to *Union Banner*.

UNION BANNER, +1863 to date: Established by McGinnis and J. W. Peterson. McGinnis sold his half interest to Thomas S. Smith, Henry Hess, W. H. Gray and E. C. Dew. Gray and Hess were the publishers. Gray was succeeded by J. E. Henry as editor; in 1864 Henry was succeeded by Gray. February 2, 1865, G. M. Prior and M. G. Beviall leased the office and continued publication until January 11, 1866, when J. W. Peterson returned from the war, bought out their claims and continued publication. He was editor and publisher until his death, about 1898, when John Ruf bought the paper and still runs it.

ZEITUNG, 1860–1861: A German paper organized by Messrs. McGinnis and Peterson. Edited by Victor Wilhelm, later by Mr. Kayser. Continued one year.

CONSTITUTION AND UNION, 1863 to date: A Democratic paper established by a stock company, with James Barkley as editor and business manager. In 1864 he was succeeded by Zophar Case, who after two years took the subscription lists and commenced the *Vindicator*, September, 1867, upon which the *Constitution and Union* stockholders secured Alfred Padon to conduct the paper. He was not satisfactory and in May, 1868, Hardin Case, son of Zophar Case, took the office under a lease of five years. Before the end of the five years Case purchased the stock and became sole owner. January 1, 1868, a partnership was formed between Hardin Case and George E. Doying, which continued until February 1, 1874, when John Schuster was admitted to the firm. Doying retired in 1876; Schuster in 1877. M. E. Drum bought the plant in 1880 and sold to Case in 1881. Case sold July, 1881, to Moore and Shoupe; Shoupe and R. H. Norfolk, 1885–1892; T. D. and R. M. Shoupe, 1892–1899. W. C. Shoupe entered the firm in 1897. R. M. Shoupe retired in 1903 and T. D. and W. C. Shoupe have continued the paper under the firm name of T. D. Shoupe and Son. The name was changed to *Constitution* in 1896. Files from 1881 in the office.

VINDICATOR, September, 1867–1868: Established by Zophar Case.

CLINTON COUNTY PIONEER, February, 1874–1878. Established by Hardin Case. George E. Doying, and John Schuster. It was issued from the *Constitution-Union* office. In 1876 Doying retired and his interest was purchased by H. Case. Schuster retired in 1877. Case sold the paper to F. Hildebrandt; publication was suspended in April, 1878. German.

SUED ILLINOIS ZEITUNG, 1876– (about 1898): A paper established by John Ruf, who was editor and proprietor until about 1898, when, on the death of J. W. Peterson, Ruf bought the *Union Banner* and discontinued the *Zeitung*. German Republican.

CARMI, WHITE COUNTY

WHITE COUNTY NEWS, 1833:

WHITE COUNTY ADVOCATE, +1859–1873+: A Democratic paper moved from Grayville to Carmi before the fall of 1859 (See Grayville). In the course of 1858–1859 the *Advocate* was edited by Henry Charles, R. F. Stewart and John Craig, who moved it to Carmi; George A. Malone, fall of 1859 to August, 1869; Charles W. Beck, August, 1869–March 20, 1873. Mr. Beck changed the name of the paper to the

WEEKLY COURIER, March, 1873–(after 1883): Originally the *White County Advocate;* changed by Mr. Beck before he sold to W. F. Palmer, March 20, 1873. While still in Mr. Palmer's charge, February, 1881, the name was changed to the *Dollar Courier*. W. F. Palmer was succeeded January 15, 1882, by C. L. Hayes. Mr. Hayes was still editor of the *Courier* in 1883.

TIMES, July, 1872 to date: Established by Thomas L. and Andrew Joy, with the firm name of E. Joy and Sons. E. Joy's connection was financial. All of the editorial and mechanical work was done by the Joy Brothers. From August 29, 1873, to 1888 the Joy Brothers had complete charge. T. L. Joy went to Centralia in 1888 and bought the *Sentinel*. Republican in politics; the paper began its career by supporting Grant for president and Oglesby for governor.

CARROLLTON, GREENE COUNTY

ADVOCATE, 1843– ——(?): It was the first paper published in the county. Edited by Edward F. Fletcher who had been connected with the publication of the *Backwoodsman* in Jerseyville.

GAZETTE, 1846 to date: A paper "devoted to politics, agriculture, literature and morality," edited by George B. Price, 1846–1860; H. L. Clay, 1860–1863; Thomas D. Price, 1863–1881; H. H. Montgomery, 1881–1883; H. P. Farrelly, 1883–1886; then by James McNabb. W. A. Hubbard and James

McNabb were editors and publishers in 1907. It espoused the cause of the Whig party until 1856, when it supported John C. Frèmont. Since that campaign it has advocated Democratic principles. Complete files in office. **F**

OBSERVER, about 1847: A Democratic paper listed in *Illinois Annual Register* for 1847. A. S. Tilden was editor.

GREENE COUNTY BANNER, 1848–(after 1849): Started by John Fitch. Democratic. It is listed in Coggeshall's *Newspaper Directory* published in 1856. **F**

DEMOCRAT, 1855–1856: Edited by H. C. Withers.

PRESS, 1858–1861+: A Republican paper edited by S. P. Orr. Changed to

PATRIOT, +1861 to date: Edited by Elder Craig, followed by William B. Fairchild; Lee, Lusk and Platt; Miner and Lindley, 1873–1875; Clement L. Clapp, 1876–1888; Charles Bradshaw, 1888 to date. Republican. Files since 1875 are in the office.

GOSPEL ECHO: Name given in Rowell for 1869 with no report. Listed by Cook and Coburn, 1869.

CARTHAGE, HANCOCK COUNTY

CARTHAGENIAN, June, 1836–1837: It was the first paper in the county and was edited by Thomas Gregg. Finally it was purchased by Dr. Isaac Galland and taken to Montrose, Iowa, and was known there as the *Western Adventurer*.

ECHO, 1836: It was issued only a few months, being a campaign sheet advocating the election of General Harrison to the presidency. Issued from the office of the *Carthagenian* by Walter Bagley.

WESTERN EMIGRANTS' MAGAZINE AND HISTORIAN OF TIMES IN THE WEST, April, 1837– ——(?): A monthly publication established by Thomas Gregg as a guide to those who might be lured to the new Bounty Land district. **A**

REPUBLICAN, 1853 to date: Published and edited by Clarke and Manier, 1853–1854; G. M. Childs, 1854–1861; R. W. McClaughry, 1861–1863; J. M. Davison, 1863–1894; Mrs. S. C. Davison, and later I. C. Davison, 1894 to date. Mr. Childs converted it from an Independent to an intensely Democratic sheet, but under Mr. McClaughry it supported the cause of the Union. After the war it became under Mr. Davison a Democratic paper. There are files in the office since 1863. Earlier copies (scattered) in the hands of J. B. Gordon of Hamilton. (See Warsaw *Commercial Journal*.) **ULF**

TRANSCRIPT, 1860–1862: Established by James K. Magie.

GAZETTE, 1865 to date: Conducted by a Mr. Fowler, then by him and Noble L. Prentis. In 1869 or 1870 it was bought by Thomas C. Sharp and conducted by him as a Republican paper until his death April 9, 1894; since then his son W. O. Sharp has been manager. **UL**

HANCOCK DEMOCRAT, December, 1869+: Removed in 1869 to Dallas by G. M. Childs.

CARTHAGINIAN, 1878–1881: Published under the management of the faculty and literary societies of Carthage College. Printed at the office of the *Republican*.

CASEY, CLARK COUNTY

TIMES, August, 1872–1897+: Established as an Independent paper by John Garrison and B. F. Ward; H. A. Boyd purchased Garrison's interest after seven months and made the paper a Greenback organ, later a Democratic sheet. (Moved to Marshall and merged into the *Illinoisan*? See *Banner*.)

EXPONENT, 1877–1878: A Republican paper started by a stock company and edited by Edward Hitchcock, and Hitchcock and Garrison. Moved to Mt. Huron.

BANNER, 1879 to date: Started by B. F. Ward; an Independent weekly. It was united with the *Times* as *Banner-Times*, in 1897, when Fred E. Moore bought the papers. Sold to F. L. Gillespie in 1904; he sold in October, 1904, to H. M. Brooke, who still owns the paper. There were apparently lapses in both papers that are not quite clear.

CENTRAL CITY, MARION COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1854–1856: Edited and published by Edward Schiller. Republican. Schiller went to Belleville in 1856 and became connected with the *Advocate*. File, vol. 2, no. 22 – 37, February 29 – June 13, 1856, owned by Mrs. James L. Kennedy, Central City.

CENTRALIA, MARION COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1856: It was established by Messrs. Gall and Omelveny. Short-lived.

ENTERPRISE, 1856– two months: Edited by D. A. Burton.

NEWS LETTER, 1857: In 1856 H. S. Blanchard purchased the *Advocate* of Salem and moved it to Centralia. He formed a partnership with Mr. Holcomb and they published the *News Letter*.

CENTRALIAN, 1857–1860: It was edited by William Parker, Jr., and published by William and James Parker. **F**

RURAL PRESS, 1858–1859: It was edited by M. L. McCord, who had moved the office of the Richview *Phoenix* to Centralia.

EGYPTIAN REPUBLIC, 1859–1861: A Republican paper edited and published by J. G. D. Pettijohn, 1859–1861; Messrs. Blackford and Taylor, publishers, with Mr. Pettijohn as editor, 1861. It was edited and published for a short period in 1861 by Wesley Bailey, when the office was closed.

INDEPENDENT, 1861: Edited by N. W. Fuller.

COMMERCIAL, April–September, 1861: Issued by E. T. Thorp. Suspended September 1, same year.

METEOR, December 20, 1861–1862: Edited and published by Henry Welker. Actively Union in its sympathies. Vol. 1, no. 11, March 1, 1862, owned by Mrs. Ellen Smith, Central City, Illinois.

SENTINEL, May, 1863 to date: Established by J. W. and C. D. Fletcher, with E. S. Condit and J. W. Fletcher as editors, but it is said Mr. Condit's editorial connection with the paper was only nominal. After a year J. W. and F. W. Fletcher became the editors and publishers. In 1869, J. C. Cooper bought the interest of J. W. Fletcher and the *Sentinel* was published by J. C. Cooper and C. D. Fletcher, until 1872, when L. C. Wilcox purchased the interest of J. C. Cooper. On January 1, 1875, it passed into the hands of J. W. and F. W. Fletcher, who were succeeded by Frank D. Goodall, and later by J. N. Kerr. Kerr sold in October, 1888, to T. L. Joy, who was editor and publisher until 1906, when he was succeeded by Vern E. Joy. Daily established in 1884. Republican.

DEMOCRAT, November, 1867 to date: Established by W. H. Mantz. Afterwards Isaac McClelland became nominally a co-editor and publisher with Mr. Mantz. In October, 1870, the office was partly destroyed by fire, but the press soon after came into the possession of S. P. Tufts, by whom the paper was revised and continued; and from February, 1871, the *Democrat* was published by Mr. Tufts, until 1884, when he was succeeded by C. D. Tufts, who still conducts it. The *Daily Democrat* was begun May 20, 1892.

INDUSTRIAL, 1875–1879(?): Edited and published in 1879 by J. W. Evarts. Independent.

CHAMPAIGN, CHAMPAIGN COUNTY

SPIRIT OF THE AGRICULTURAL PRESS, May, 1857, till autumn: Established at what was then called West Urbana, by L. G. Chase and Albert Gore. Agriculture, politics, and local affairs were given attention. F

CENTRAL ILLINOIS GAZETTE, March, 1858–1861+, 1868 to date: Established by John W. Scroggs and Company (Cunningham

and Flynn) out of the materials of the *Press*, as a Republican paper. William O. Stoddard was associated with Scroggs as an editor until 1860. Sold to John Carrothers of the *Union*, Urbana, and the papers were combined as the UA

CHAMPAIGN COUNTY UNION AND GAZETTE, +1862 to date: This combination continued for about a year. Then the *Gazette* was bought, moved to Urbana, and continued by John W. Summers until the summer of 1864; John Robbins a short time; George W. Flynn, George N. Richards with J. O. Cunningham as editor, October, 1864, to April, 1866; Flynn alone until 1868; moved back to Champaign by George Scroggs and Flynn, 1868–1879, where it has remained ever since. The name was changed to *Champaign County Gazette* in 1869. After 1879 it was conducted by Scroggs's executor, H. J. Dunlap, who sold to H. H. Harris, whereupon J. R. Stewart became editor. Mr. Stewart, O. L. Davis, and E. C. Flanigan bought the plant February 7, 1900, and still own and conduct the paper. The daily edition was begun November 6, 1883. The *Gazette* was one of the earliest papers to advocate the nomination of Lincoln for president. US

UNION, August, +1859–1882: Established at Urbana (which see) in 1852. It was moved to Champaign in 1859 by David S. and Charles E. Crandall. In 1861 they sold to John Carrothers, who, in the winter of 1862–1863 bought the *Central Illinois Gazette* and united the two papers. In 1865 the property of the *Union* reverted to the Crandalls. David S. and Dudley S. Crandall continued it until 1868, when they sold to H. L. Nicolet and C. E. Schoff; Schoff and I. H. Moore, 1877–1882. For a time between 1865 and 1868 the name was changed to *Saturday Visitor*. File owned by J. O. Cunningham, Urbana.

ILLINOIS DEMOCRAT, March, 1867–1872+: Established by George N. Richards and Rufus P. Canterbury, who moved from Urbana the *Champaign County Journal*. After one year Canterbury sold to Richards. P. Lochrie bought an interest in April, 1869, and became sole owner in October. G. W. Gore was editor for a while in 1869. In 1872 the establishment was bought by William Haddock, who changed the name to

LIBERAL DEMOCRAT, +August, 1872+: William Haddock conducted the paper in support of Horace Greeley for the presidency. The name was soon changed to

TIMES, +1872 to date: William Haddock was owner and editor until 1879. The paper was then bought by William H. Smyzer, William J. Mize, and Isaac Fielding. Elmer F. Powers soon afterward bought an interest. In 1887 Smyzer sold to his part-

ners and Mize soon afterward did likewise. Messrs. Powers and Fielding have since conducted the paper as a weekly. A daily was issued for a few months in 1906.

JOURNAL, 1876–1879 (?): A German paper established by Theodore Fisher and John Becker. Becker soon bought Fisher's interest and associated with him his son.

CHANDLERVILLE, CASS COUNTY

NEW ERA, February 7, 1874–1875: Established by John J. Bunce; J. J. Bunce and Son, publishers. Discontinued in the summer of 1875.

CASS COUNTY JOURNAL, August 5, 1876–August 3, 1878+: Established by Charles A. Pratt, who after two years of service to Democracy sold the paper to Skaggs Brothers. They changed the name to

INDEPENDENT, +August 3, 1878–1882+: Edited by John W. Skaggs, published by John W. and Gilbert Skaggs. After one month, G. B. Skaggs alone undertook the combined labors of editor and publisher. Ebenezer Spink bought an interest in December, 1879, and resold to Skaggs in 1881. Spink bought out Skaggs in 1882 and changed the name to *Sangamon Valley Times*, which was changed to Chandlerville *Times* in 1887. E. O. Spink became business manager in 1904, and bought the paper in 1908. Independent. Files in the office.

CHARLESTON, COLES COUNTY

COURIER, 1841–1863+: Established as a Whig organ by William Harr and William Workman. Mr. Workman soon retired and his place was afterward filled by George Harding, who was connected with the paper until 1857. Mr. Harr conducted the paper alone from 1857 to 1863, when he sold out to Eli Chittenden, and John S. Theaker, who made the paper Republican and changed its name to **AH**

PLAINDEALER, +1863 to date: In the late sixties Al and Lucien Dunbar were publishers. The former sold to A. E. Eaton; the property reverted to Dunbar and was sold to John A. Martin, A., and W. M. McConnell. In 1889 they sold to H. B. Glassco. Later the Plaindealer Printing Company was organized. This company published the *Plaindealer;* bought the *Herald* (established 1881); and became the Plaindealer-Herald Company. A daily was started in 1892.

OWL, 1843–1846(?): Published by James Shoaff. In 1846 Mr. Shoaff went to Greenville, and apparently the *Owl* was discontinued.

REPORTER, 1846– ——(?): A Democratic paper edited by W. D. Latshaw. Before January 6, 1849, the title was changed to

ILLINOIS GLOBE,[1] +1848(?)– ——(?): "A decided and orthodox Democratic journal," edited by W. D. Latshaw and published by Latshaw and Brown. Vol. 4, no. 1, was issued July 28, 1849; the numbering was evidently continued from the *Reporter*. **AF**

REPUBLICAN, about 1847: A Whig paper edited by W. W. Bishop. It is listed in *Illinois Annual Register* for 1847.

COLES COUNTY LEDGER, 1857–1867+: Edited by G. C. and W. P. Harding, 1857–1859; McHenry Brooks, 1859–1867. In 1867 Mr. Brooks sold to James Shoaff and Asa Miller, and they changed its name to **F**

COURIER, +1867 to date: Shoaff sold his interest to I. N. Underwood; later Miller sold to E. B. Buck; then Buck alone was editor and publisher till 1879. George E. Mason was editor and publisher, 1879–1892; Mason and Charles D. Strode, 1892–1893; Strode and Charles L. Lee, 1894; Charles L. Lee became sole owner, January 1, 1895. He sold an interest to Cyrus N. Walls, but Walls sold out and Lee now owns the paper. He has been editor and publisher since 1895. A daily was started in 1895. Democratic. Files since 1885 in the office.

CHATSWORTH, LIVINGSTON COUNTY

PALLADIUM, 1871– ——(?): George Torrance, editor and publisher.

PLAINDEALER, 1873– ——(?): Established by E. M. Harte, editor, C. B. Holmes, publisher; John Jackson, editor, John Culver and Company, publishers, 1876; R. M. Spurgin, 1877–1880; James A. Smith, 1882– ——(?). **U**

CHEBANSE, IROQUOIS AND KANKAKEE COUNTIES

HERALD, 1868 to date: Established, owned, and edited by Thomas Sawyer. In 1897 W. H. Overhue was editor and publisher; in 1902 R. W. Lane became editor and manager and William Lane proprietor. Republican.

INDEPENDENT, 1872–1880: J. De Veling was editor and J. M. De Veling was publisher throughout.

CHENOA, McLEAN COUNTY

TIMES, July, 1867–1875+: Established by Silas F. Dyer and James McMurtrie. In 1871 Miss L. M. Dyer, sister of S. F. Dyer, after the death of both former owners, edited the paper for several months. It was bought by C. H. John and the Bovard Brothers. In 1875 Bovard Brothers bought it and named it

[1] Harris, in *Negro Servitude in Illinois*, 112 n., refers to *Coles County Globe* and Charleston *Globe* for October, 1847. These may be variants that should find place between *Reporter* and *Illinois Globe*. No copy of either of these *Globes* is known to be in existence. The references cited should perhaps be to the *Illinois Globe* in which case the change from *Reporter* was made in 1847.

MONITOR, +1875–1877+: Bovard Brothers soon sold to C. H. John, and he to Mann Brothers, who renamed it

GAZETTE, +1877–1900+: C. H. Stickney bought it about 1879. In 1900 it was bought by E. S. Pike and merged in the *Clipper*, which was established in 1893, and is now owned and published by G. E. Stump.

CHERRY VALLEY, WINNEBAGO COUNTY

COURIER, July–October, 1869: Established by Dr. L. Foote. Continued three months.

CHESTER, RANDOLPH COUNTY

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS ADVOCATE, April 4, 1839–1840: It was edited by John Smith and H. M. Abbott, and was conducted for the purpose of calling attention to that portion of Illinois lying between the Ohio and Kaskaskia rivers. **A**

REVEILLE AND HOMESTEAD ADVOCATE, February 20, 1847–1850: It was edited by O. F. McMillan; established by Robert Smith to promote his candidacy for Congress. Sold in 1850 to Hanna and Whitehurst of the *Herald*.

HERALD, 1849–1857 (?): Edited by Messrs. B. J. F. Hanna and Whitehurst, 1849–1853: Hanna and William Phillips, 1853–1856; E. J. Montague, 1856–——(?). (See Kaskaskia *Republican*.) **F**

RANDOLPH COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1857–1878: Editors and proprietors, Judge J. M. Ralls, 1857–1858; H. B. Nisbet and C. C. Clemens, who conducted it independent of politics, 1858–1860; Mr. Nisbet, who made it a Republican paper, 1860–1865; John W. Dean and M. W. Rotrock, 1865–1876; Mr. Dean and Mr. Nisbet, 1876–1878. **H**

EGYPTIAN PICKET GUARD, +1862–1867+: Founded by John R. Shannon and Robert McHenry. P. W. Baker helped organize the paper. In 1863 McHenry withdrew and the paper became a radical Southern partisan. In 1863 it was suspended for two months. Then the Democrats formed a stock company, purchased the paper, and dropped *Egyptian* from the title. S. St. Vrain was general manager, P. W. Baker was publisher, and John R. Shannon continued as editor. Shannon was so active in his criticism of the measures adopted to suppress the Rebellion that a body of soldiers broke into the office in July, 1864, and scattered the type in the streets. The office was refitted. In 1864 John McBride became proprietor. Shannon remained as editor. In 1865 William H. Toy succeeded McBride. In 1867 McHenry returned and assumed control, changing the name to

VALLEY CLARION, +1867–1899+: Robert McHenry was editor and publisher until 1868, when he died. Robert E. Deitrich continued the publication until he was succeeded by William J. Armour. In 1869 Charles L. Spencer became editor and publisher; in 1875 he sold to John H. Lindsey and Company; in 1876 the firm was changed to Valley Clarion Printing Company. In 1876 John H. Lindsey sold out to Charles L. Spencer and John McBride; they remained proprietors with Spencer as editor until 1878, when John H. Lindsey purchased the interests of the company and became proprietor; he associated Robert E. Deitrich with him in the editorial department. In 1880 he sold to William H. Holmes. About 1886 Holmes sold to Frank R. McAtee, who a few years later changed the name to *Chester Clarion*, and in 1895 sold to James A. Matlack. He sold to William H. Matlack in 1896; Frank Moore bought the paper in 1898, and in 1899 sold to Frank R. McAtee, who merged the *Clarion* in the *Herald*, dropping the name of the former. The *Herald* was started in 1895 by F. W. Hempler and C. A. Smith, and sold in 1897 to Frank R. McAtee. Democratic.

RANDOLPH COUNTY ZEITUNG, 1868– ——(?): A German paper of which J. W. Dean and Company were editors and publishers in 1869.

TRIBUNE, 1872 to date: Established by William Knapp and C. B. Wassell. Republican. In 1874 Wassell retired and Knapp was sole owner until 1881, when he sold to James B. Matlack and James F. Wassell. About 1885 Wassell became sole owner and in 1886 sold to Theodore Saxenmeyer. Saxenmeyer sold in 1889 to William H. Matlack and John McBride. Matlack became sole owner a year later, and in 1894 sold to Thomas J. Howorth and John A. Pyron. In 1896 Pyron sold his interest to James B. Matlack, who in turn sold in 1898 to Thomas J. Howorth. In the same year Warfield P. Smith bought a half interest in the paper, which has been run since that time under the firm name of Thomas J. Howorth and Company. Now edited by Thomas J. Howorth, published by Thomas J. Howorth and Company.

GREENBACK GAZETTE, 1876: A campaign paper printed in the *Tribune* office, edited by R. P. Thompson and A. G. Condon. It was printed on green paper. Suspended at close of campaign.

CHICAGO, COOK COUNTY

DEMOCRAT, November 26, 1833—1861+: Edited by John Calhoun, 1833–1836; John Wentworth, 1836–1861. This was the first paper published in Chicago. It supported Jackson's administration; known as a "hard money paper" because it denounced

CHICAGO DEMOCRAT.

"Where Liberty dwells, there is my Country"—Franklin.

CHICAGO, ILL. TUESDAY NOV. 25, 1833. VOL. I. No. 1

TIES IN THE FAR WEST

...B. Wyeth Hunt, and Many... with the Sioux.

...following interesting account of an ...counter between the Sioux and Fox... Indians, is copied from the Fox ..., and was translated as told by Kee... an intrepid warrior of the latter tribe.

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...as here necessary to state the ... ing the summer, a treaty ... ... at the portage, Ke... ... ing party, armed, each, ... had been ordered by the Iowa ... ... precaution, of taking a strong force ... was necessary in consequence of the ... hostilities of the Sioux, who long ... ... combat. Ignorance upon their ... ground.

... tenth day after leaving their village, ... observed Buffalo; and immediately ... and tracking nine encamped. On ... ... small parties were sent out to ... ... operations, who, on their return in ... ... reported that the herd of Buf... ... ward, consisting SOO; and that ... ... discovered signs of the ... ... two large encampments. ... ... proceeded from their encampment ... ... were immediately assembled A ... ... of the warriors were for advancing ... the night, and attacking the Sioux ... ... the next morning; other ... ... their women and children to the ... ... Keokuck, in his speech, rebuked the ... ... those the Sioux had committed ... ... nations, many of their peoples ... ... Rock Island, who had created the Bloody ... ... Prairie du Chien, after the de... ... Black Hawk last summer "Recently ... ... my presence (says Ke-o-kuck) ... ... had some friend or relation by ... ... Now is the time to gratify our ... ... Let us surprise the enemy while ... ... them no warning. The warriors were ... ... to become them. They came in ... ... Ke-o-kuck passed on above to ... ... further end of the camp to his own lodge ... ... believe himself from his toilet, and was immediately surrounded by his wives and children.

... consequence related to the chiefs and ... warriors what had taken place, and said ... ... was requested by Ke-o-kuck to say that ... ... would give any information upon he is ... ready to counsel, he will give an opinion. ... ... ing to make terms with her. One of ... ... [illegible] ... which had been ... ... and commenced a dance. The Sioux ... ... and stipulate the time. The Sioux broke up ... ... camp, and hastened to the west to their ... hunting grounds. The Sacs and Foxes re... ... turned to their former encampment, and re... manned until they had killed eighty buffalo ... and then came to their villages.

... Extract from a letter to the Editor ...

Rock Island, August, 1833.

... Correspondence of the Chronicle to Boston and Repository of the United States Land Office.

... General Land Office,
May 17 1833.

Gentlemen: Subjoined is the copy of an act of Congress, approved on the 2d of March last, entitled "An act to revive the act entitled 'An act supplementary to the several laws for the sale of public lands,' approved the 10th April 1830."

"Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in all cases in which persons were settlers or occupants of public lands, prior to the first day of May, 1830, and have since continued to enjoy the provisions of the act entitled "An act supplementary to the several laws for the sale of the public lands," approved April 5th, 1820, and shall not have entered their lands, in consequence of the other persons having been made entitled to, or where the same has been reserved from sale in consequence of a disputed boundary between two States, or between a State and a Territory, the said occupants shall be permitted to enter the said lands on the same conditions, in every respect, as were prescribed in said act, within one year after the surveys are made, or the land attached to a land district, or the boundary line established; and if the land shall be proclaimed for sale before the expiration of one year, as aforesaid, then the said settlers or occupants shall be permitted to enter before the sale thereof."

The provisions of the above act give the right of pre-emption to one quarter sections to such persons as were entitled to the benefits of a pre-emption entry for two quarter quarter sections of land under the act of ... [illegible] ... and ... [illegible] ... Illinois and Michigan Rail Road.—This subject appears to be at the attention of many citizens of late, and a strong desire is manifested to carry the enterprise into speedy and extensive improvement. The agitation of this question now, is probably owing in part, to the rapid emigration to that ... of country—still, if the Illinois river, and the practicability of making the northern ... the ... to the transportation of mer... ... the mouth of a ... ... and with greater cer... ... by way of New Orleans ... ... from the Mississippi to ... ... must such a very sensible feel... ... all section of the state in increasing ... ... is certain to realized in ... ... of any value. With these ... ... we can see no reason ... ... ing any preparations for the construction of ... ... which is likely to ... ... and city to this state, ... the ... western region. If the state ... ... ly benefit by its ... ... own food pr... ... and many be supplied with ... ...

wild-cat and other fictitious paper money. It was the official paper of the town of Chicago. Because the needed supply of paper failed to arrive before the close of navigation, its publication was suspended from January 1 to May 20, 1835, with the exception of an issue January 21 and another on March 25. It appeared weekly to 1840, and daily, beginning February 24, 1840. It was a Democratic paper up to the time of the Kansas–Nebraska issue, but when the slavery question was again raised it assisted in the formation of the Republican party. On July 24, 1861, the *Democrat* was absorbed by the *Tribune*. **WHAEF**

AMERICAN, June 8, 1835–1839+: A Whig paper, issued daily after April 9, 1839. Edited by T. O. Davis, 1835–1837; William Stuart and Company, 1837. Changed to **EHNWA**

DAILY AMERICAN, +April 9, 1839–October 18, 1842: Edited by William Stuart, 1839–1841; Alexander Stuart, proprietor, and W. W. Brackett, editor, 1841–1842; Buckner S. Morris, July to October, 1842. **ENHF**

COMMERCIAL ADVERTISER, October 11, 1836–1837: A rabid "liberty" paper, edited by Hooper Warren. In 1837 the printing outfit was removed to Lowell, LaSalle County, and used by Benjamin Lundy and Zebina Eastman in publishing the *Genius of Universal Emancipation* and *Genius of Liberty*.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE, June 9–August, 1838: A campaign paper published weekly at the office of the *American*, until after the August election, by the Whig Young Men's Association. **A**

HARD CIDER PRESS, June 6–October 24, 1840: A Harrison campaign paper published weekly by William Stuart from the *American* office. **H**

WEEKLY TRIBUNE, April 4, 1840–August 21, 1841: Published by Charles N. Holcomb and Company, with E. G. Ryan as editor. In 1841 it was sold to Elisha Starr of Milwaukee, and the Milwaukee *Journal* was its successor. **H**

UNION AGRICULTURIST AND WESTERN PRAIRIE FARMER, January, 1841–1843+: Established by the Union Agricultural Society, and edited in the beginning by the corresponding secretary, John S. Wright. At the close of the second volume the publication passed from the society to John S. Wright, with whom J. Ambrose Wight became associated as editor. The title was changed to **E**

PRAIRIE FARMER, +January 1, 1843 to date: The scope of the paper was enlarged to include mechanics and education. John Gage was the first editor of the mechanics department. At the beginning of 1851 Luther Haven became part owner, and was associated with Wright in publishing, and with Wright and Wight in

editing the paper. In 1852 Wright and Haven were editors and publishers; J. Ambrose Wight was editor, John A. Kennicott, horticultural editor in 1853–1857; Wright and Wight were publishers, 1853–1857. A new series was begun January, 1857, at which time publication became weekly instead of monthly as theretofore. October 1, 1858, James C. and William H. Medill sold the property to Emery and Company; Henry D. Emery and Charles D. Bragdon became editors; Kennicott remained horticultural editor. Mr. Emery united his *Journal of Agriculture* and the *Prairie Farmer* as *Emery's Journal of Agriculture and Prairie Farmer*, October 7, continuing publication under this title until January 1, 1859, when *Prairie Farmer* was resumed. In 1861 W. W. Corbett replaced Bragdon as one of the editors. In 1867 the Prairie Farmer Company became publishers; in 1868 Henry T. Thomas came in as a third editor; in 1869 Rodney Welch was added. In 1879 Jonathan Periam was editor and continued in that office until 1884, when Orange Judd became editor and manager. He was succeeded in 1889 by Jonathan Periam, who served as editor until 1903. James J. Edgerton was editor throughout 1904; on March 20, 1905, C. P. Reynolds became editor, and has been so to date. The stock of the Prairie Farmer Company was bought by Rand, McNally and Company and incorporated as the Prairie Farmer Publishing Company, February 16, 1882. They disposed of their stock to Burridge D. Butler on April 8, 1908. Mr. Butler is president of the company and publisher. The paper is now published semi-monthly. (See p. 73.) **WDSUHE**

EXPRESS, October 24, 1842–April 20, 1844: Edited by William W. Brackett. It was sold in 1844 to a company and discontinued. Supported Henry Clay for president. The *Journal* was established in its stead. Daily and weekly. **N**

NORTHWESTERN BAPTIST, September 15, 1842–September 15, 1844: A semi-monthly edited by Thomas Powell. Only forty-eight numbers were issued. This was the first religious publication in Chicago. **H**

QUID NUNC, July 12–August 16, 1842: Edited by Davis S. Griswold and published by Ellis, Fergus, and Company. It was devoted to the advancement of literature, the fine arts, science, commerce, agriculture, and the mechanical arts. No communications on religion or politics were admitted. It is said to have been the first one-cent daily published west of the Alleghanies. At first intended as a morning paper it was issued at noon. **A**

REPUBLICAN, 1842–1844: Edited by A. R. Niblo, 1842–1843; F. W. Cleveland, 1843–1844. It was established to create a public sentiment favoring the re-election of President Tyler. **F**

WESTERN CITIZEN, July, 1842–October, 1853+: A temperance and anti-slavery paper edited by Zebina Eastman and Asa B. Brown, 1842–1845; Eastman and Davidson, 1845–1849; Eastman and McClellan, 1849–1852; Mr. Eastman, with Hooper Warren as associate, 1852–1853. This was the organ of the Liberty Party in Illinois, and successor to the *Genius of Liberty*, the subscription list of which paper it took over. See Lowell, *Genius of Liberty* and *Genius of Universal Emancipation*; also Alton, *Truth Secker*. In 1853 the name was changed to **AEHF**

FREE WEST, +December 1, 1853–July 19, 1855+: Edited by E. Goodman, Hooper Warren, and Zebina Eastman. Although the paper was announced in *Western Citizen* of October 18 to begin October 25, it did not appear until December 1. The names of the editors are not printed after the issue of October 12, 1854, until November 23, when Z. Eastman is given as editor and publisher, E. Goodman and H. Warren associate editors. Their names disappear in the issue of July 12, 1855. The last issue announced that the paper would be merged with the *Tribune*. Established as the avowed organ of the Freedom Party of Illinois; beginning with the issue of November 23, 1854, the paper carried the statement that "this journal does not profess to be the organ of any party or sect." It was strongly anti-slavery, however. **H**

YOUTH'S GAZETTE, May–July 23, 1843: Edited by Kiler K. Jones. It was "devoted expressly to the interests of the youth of the west." Eight numbers were issued, weekly. **H**

BETTER COVENANT, +1843–1847: A religious paper, established at Rockford; taken soon to St. Charles and thence to Chicago, being published at Rockford and St. Charles from January 6, 1842, to April 6, 1843. Edited by Rev. Seth Barnes, 1843–1844; Rev. William Rounseville and Cyrus B. Ingham, 1844–1845; Mr. Ingham, 1845–1847. In 1847 it was sold to John A. Gurley of the *Star of the West*, Cincinnati, Ohio. Issued weekly. (See *Better Covenant*, Rockford and St. Charles.) **H**

DEMOCRAT ADVOCATE AND COMMERCIAL ADVERTISER, February 3, 1844–1846: Publishers and proprietors were Messrs. Ellis and Fergus; nominally without an editor. It was the corporation paper, 1844–1845. **UF**

GEM OF THE PRAIRIE, May 29, 1844–1852+: A literary paper edited by Kiler K. Jones and James S. Beach, 1844–1845; J. Campbell and T. A. Stewart, 1845; T. A. Stewart, 1845–1846; Mr. Stewart and James Kelly, 1846–1850; Messrs. Scripps and

Stewart, 1850–1852, with Stewart, Waite and Company as publishers. It was devoted to literary miscellany and information. In length of life it surpassed all other early periodicals of predominantly literary tone. Its motto was "To please be ours." In 1847 the proprietors, in order to meet a growing demand for news alone, established the Chicago *Daily Tribune*, as an offshoot to the *Gem of the Prairie*. The latter paper was continued under the same name until 1852, when it was merged in the *Tribune*, and published as the Sunday edition of that paper, with the title Chicago *Sunday Tribune*. **HUF**

Illinois Medical and Surgical Journal, 1844–1846+: This was the first medical journal issued in Chicago. Edited by Dr. James V. Z. Blaney, in the interest of Rush Medical College, and printed by Ellis and Fergus, 1844–1846. It was a monthly paper, 1844–1846; bi-monthly, 1846– ——. In 1846 the *Journal* was christened

Illinois and Indiana Medical and Surgical Journal, +1846–1848+: Its editors were Drs. Blaney, Daniel Brainard, William B. Herrick, and John Evans. It was published in Chicago by Ellis and Fergus and in Indianapolis by C. B. Davis. In 1848 the paper became known as the **H**

Northwestern Medical and Surgical Journal, +1848–December, 1857+: It continued under the same editorial management, but was published in Chicago by William Ellis and in Indianapolis by John D. Defrees. In 1849 W. B. Herrick and John Evans appeared as editors with J. W. Dugan, Chicago and Indianapolis, as sole publisher. The subsequent year John Evans and Edwin G. Meek comprised the editorial staff, with C. A. Swan as printer. In 1851 the same editors appear with James L. Langdon, Chicago and Indianapolis, as printer. In 1852 John Evans was editor, and Langdon and Rounds printers. In this year another new series was commenced, being issued monthly. W. B. Herrick was editor, assisted by H. A. Johnson, with Ballantyne and Company as printers. Dr. N. S. Davis became editor in May, 1854, with Dr. Johnson assistant, and A. B. Case, publisher, who in 1856 was succeeded by Robert Fergus. In 1857 Dr. Davis was sole editor, Barnet and Clarke printers. The December number, 1857, terminated the magazine under the name of the *Northwestern Medical and Surgical Journal*. It was continued as the **HJ**

Chicago Medical Journal, +1858–September, 1875+: Daniel Brainard was publisher in 1859 and 1860, and the *Journal* was monthly. In 1869 it was semi-monthly. J. Adams Allen, M.D., LL.D., was editor at that date; C. N. Goodell, publisher. The

periodical was still devoted to the interests of Rush Medical College. J. Adams Allen and Walter Hay, M.D., were editors, 1870–1875; W. B. Keen, Cooke and Company, publishers. The *Journal* became the HJ

CHICAGO MEDICAL JOURNAL AND EXAMINER, +September, 1875, to date (1884): William H. Byford, A.M., M.D., became editor in 1876; the Chicago Medical Press Association, publishers. The *Journal* had the same editor and publishers in 1880; in 1882 N. S. Davis, M.D., James Nevins Hyde, M.D., and Daniel R. Brower were editors. Monthly. HJ

DAILY JOURNAL, April 22, 1844 to date: A Whig paper at first issued by an editorial committee appointed by the company that purchased the *Express*. Edited and published by Richard L. Wilson and J. W. Norris, 1844–1845; Mr. Wilson and Nathan C. Geer, 1845–1847; Mr. Wilson, 1847–1849; Charles L. Wilson, 1849–1851; R. L. and C. L. Wilson, 1851–1853; R. L. and C. L. Wilson and C. H. Morris, 1853–1854; Messrs. Wilson, 1854–1856; C. L. Wilson and C. H. Pierce, 1856–1860. John L. Wilson became a member of the firm in 1861. Charles L. Wilson died in 1878; John R. Wilson became connected with the paper and later became publisher. Charles L. Wilson was succeeded as editor by Andrew Shuman. Mr. Shuman was editor from 1861 to 1864, and again from 1878 to 1888; W. K. Sullivan, 1888. In 1893 the paper was sold to Dr. S. F. Farrar, who formed a company with himself as president and treasurer, Slason Thompson, editor, J. R. Wilson, publisher. There was, beside the daily and weekly, a tri-weekly edition which was continued until after 1881. For a number of years John C. Eastman has been editor, the Chicago Journal Company, publishers. Until after 1881 the paper was listed as Republican; it is now Independent. It is now called *Evening Journal*. EDACNSUHF

GARLAND OF THE WEST, 1845: It was projected by Robert N. Garrett and Nelson W. Fuller. But one copy seems to have been issued, that of July 30.

DAILY NEWS, latter part of 1845–January 6, 1846: A liberty paper managed by Eastman and Davidson, with S. W. Chapel assistant editor. This was the first daily issued without a weekly edition.

SPIRIT OF TEMPERANCE REFORM, 1845: Started by J. E. Ware. It soon died.

VOLKSFREUND, 1845–1848: The pioneer German paper of Chicago. Edited by Robert B. Hoeffgen.

WESTERN (LITERARY ?) MAGAZINE, October, 1845–October, 1846: The first literary magazine published in Chicago, was first issued in October, 1845, by Rounseville and Company. In the belief

"that the western people were able and willing to support a magazine of their own," William Rounseville undertook the development of western literary talent. His hopes were not fully realized and he sold the magazine after the publication of ten numbers. John J. Moon, the purchaser, published but two numbers, beginning September, 1846. **H**

ARIEL, 1846: Published for a short time with Edward Augustus as editor and C. H. Boner as publisher.

DAILY CAVALIER, 1846–1847: Edited by Robert Wilson. For six weeks Rev. William Rounseville was editor. A one-cent paper.

DOLLAR WEEKLY, 1846: Issued three or four months by William Duane Wilson.

LIBERTY TREE, 1846–1848: Issued by Eastman and Davison, with Zebina Eastman as editor. A monthly.

MORNING MAIL, 1846–1847: Edited by Rev. William Rounseville. **H**

VALLEY WATCHMAN, 1846–1847: Published by J. McChesney.

WESTERN HERALD, 1846–1847+: A weekly anti-slavery, anti-masonic, temperance paper, and advocate of the Society of Friends, edited by Rev. J. B. Walker and B. F. Worrall. Changed to **H**

HERALD OF THE PRAIRIES, +1847–1849+: Edited by Rev. J. B. Walker and B. F. Worrall, 1847–1849. In 1848 James Shaw was assistant editor. The paper was "devoted to the promotion of practical religion, the maintenance of essential truth, and the advancement of the benevolent enterprises of the age." J. Ambrose Wight and William Bross bought the office and material and changed it to

PRAIRIE HERALD, +1849–1853+: Rev. G. S. F. Savage, of St. Charles, Ill., and Rev. A. L. Chapin of Beloit, Wis., were appointed corresponding editors. Mr. Wight was sole editor, 1851–1853. From 1846 to 1853 the paper enunciated the doctrines of the New School Presbyterians and the Congregationalists. Changed to **F**

CONGREGATIONAL HERALD, +1853–1861: Edited by Rev. John C. Holbrook, 1853–1854; Rev. Holbrook and Rev. N. H. Eggleston, 1854–1856; several editors from 1856 to 1857; Rev. H. L. Hammond, 1857–——(?). The *Herald* advocated the establishment of the Chicago Theological Seminary. **EF**

COMMERCIAL ADVERTISER, 1847–1858: Edited by Alfred Dutch, who was instrumental in obtaining the grant of lands from Congress for the Illinois Central Railroad. The *Advertiser* opposed the Maine law. It was issued irregularly. Weekly to 1849, when it became daily with a weekly edition. **HAEF**

NORTHWESTERN EDUCATOR AND MAGAZINE OF LITERATURE AND SCIENCE, January, 1847–1849: A monthly, edited and published by James L. Enos and D. L. Curtiss. In the issue of February, 1849, James L. Enos is given as editor and publisher. He writes editorially in that number concerning the influence of the *Educator:* "It was commenced under the most unfavorable circumstances, in a country where no like publication had ever circulated, where the people were comparatively little imbued with a love for education — or at least, that inculcated by professional teachers — and with the privations incident to a new country pressing heavily upon them; yet, notwithstanding these difficulties, the influence of the *Educator* has steadily increased, and within the last three months the circulation has nearly doubled." The objects of the magazine were to expose the dangers of fallacious theories of education, and to set forth and to defend the true principles of instruction. Vol. III, no. 2 owned by Frank W. Scott, Urbana, Illinois. S

PORCUPINE, winter of 1847–1848: Edited by Charles Bowen and Thomas Bradbury.

TRIBUNE, 1847 to date: Established by Joseph K. C. Forrest, James J. Kelly and John E. Wheeler. Messrs. Forrest and Kelly very early retired and Thomas A. Stewart became editor. In 1847 the *Gem of the Prairie* was absorbed by the *Tribune* and became the Sunday edition of that paper. The *Tribune* was managed by Wheeler, Stewart and Scripps, 1848–1851; T. J. Waite, manager, Wm. Duane Wilson, editor, 1852–1853. Gen. Wilson's interest was purchased by March 23, 1853, Henry Fowler, Timothy Wright and Gen. J. D. Webster. On June 18, 1853, Joseph Medill came from Cleveland and purchased a share in the paper, whereupon the issue was made under the auspices of Wright, Medill, and Company, and Stephen J. Staples is specified in the directory for 1853–1854 as assistant editor. On July 21, 1855, Thomas A. Stewart retired from the partnership, and September 23, Dr. C. H. Ray and J. C. Vaughn were editors. At the same time Alfred Cowles became a member of the firm, which was then composed of Messrs. Medill, Ray, Wright, Webster, Vaughn, and Cowles. Under the vigorous influence of Dr. Ray the paper soon became of primary importance in Chicago and Illinois. It was one of the first to endorse the formation of the Republican party in Illinois, and did much to bring about the successful organization of that party, and the nomination and election of Lincoln in 1860. March 26, 1857, Mr. Vaughn withdrew and the partnership name became Ray, Medill, and Company. In 1858 the *Tribune*, being consolidated with the *Daily Democratic Press*, was known as the *Press and Tribune*, issued by the proprietors

of both papers (see *Democratic Press*). In 1861 the word *Press* was dropped and the Tribune Company was organized. Scripps, Bross, Ray, Medill, and Cowles were the principal stockholders. In 1861 the *Tribune* absorbed the *Democrat*. In 1866 Horace White, who had previously been connected with the paper and had acquired the stock of Mr. Scripps, became editor. He was succeeded in 1874 by Joseph Medill. Under White the *Tribune* had supported Horace Greeley, but Medill brought it back into the Republican fold, where it has remained, though manifesting a considerable independence.[1] Mr. Medill died in March, 1899, and was succeeded as editor by R. W. Patterson, who was editor until his death, on April 1, 1910. The *Tribune* has been since 1908 in direct charge of Medill McCormick. It has been a daily from its beginning. For many years it had also semi-weekly, tri-weekly, and weekly editions, all of which have been discontinued. The file at the office of the *Tribune* is complete from about 1860. File, 1861–1876, in Boston Athenæum. EWDNACSUHF

WATCHMAN OF THE PRAIRIES, 1847–1853+: First weekly Baptist newspaper published in Chicago. It strongly opposed slavery. Edited by Rev. Luther Stone and published by Messrs. Walker and Worrall, of the *Western Herald* (which see). In 1849 Wight and Bross became its publishers. In 1853 Mr. Stone sold the paper to Dr. J. C. Burroughs, Levi D. Boone and A D. Titsworth, and it became the H

CHRISTIAN TIMES, +August 31, 1853–1865+: Mr. Burroughs was the chief and H. J. Western and A. J. Joslyn assistant editors. November 24 of the same year the paper was sold to Rev.

[1] The *Tribune* followed closely the lead of Greeley and the New York *Tribune* in urging, immediately after the defeat of General Scott for the presidency in 1852, that the Whig party had lost its usefulness; and, after the Kansas-Nebraska bill had been passed in 1854, took the lead in the West, as Greeley and the New York *Tribune* did in the East, in agitating a union, in the Republican party, of all anti-slavery and anti-Nebraska elements.

"In 1856 I made as strong a fight for Fremont as was in my power," Medill wrote, "worked for Abraham Lincoln against Stephen A. Douglas for senator in 1858; printed *verbatim* the great debates in which these two men were engaged, and in 1859 began pushing Mr. Lincoln for the presidency."

In 1860 the *Tribune* put forth every effort for the nomination and election of Lincoln, and after war broke out, was the most influential Union newspaper west of New York City. It urged Lincoln to issue an emancipation proclamation, opposed Johnson's reconstruction policy, upheld the impeachment proceedings, defended the reconstruction acts of Congress, and supported Grant in 1868. Under Horace White the *Tribune* was vigorously opposed to a policy of extremely high protective tariffs, and not until 1874, when Medill secured control and the editorship, did it support the prevailing policy of the dominant party. Under Medill it was for many years a high-tariff paper, but it has long occupied a position of great independence in both local and national affairs, and has gained, especially under the editorship of Robert W. Patterson, a wide independent following.

Leroy Church and Rev. J. A. Smith, the latter becoming editor. In 1854 Mr. Smith sold his interest to Mr. J. F. Childs and the proprietary firm became Church and Childs. In 1855 Mr. Church became sole proprietor. The copy for February 2, 1854, volume 1, number 23, contains correspondence in relation to the origin of Shurtleff College, which tends to show that J. M. Peck was given much of the credit due to Hubbell Loomis, who did a large amount in laying the foundations of the college in Alton while Peck was at Rock Spring. With vol. 13, August or September, 1865, the *Christian Times*, by the absorption of the *Witness* of Indiana, became **FH**

CHRISTIAN TIMES AND WITNESS, +1865–1867+: J. A. Smith and Leroy Church were editors, Church and Edward Goodman, publishers. In 1867 Goodman brought a half interest and the name was changed to

STANDARD, +1867 to date: A Baptist church publication. The editors and publishers were as follows: J. A. Smith, D. D., editor, Church and Goodman, publishers and proprietors, 1869–January, 1875. J. A. Smith, D. D., and J. S. Dickerson, D. D., editors, and Goodman and Dickerson, publishers, 1876; Goodman and Dickerson, publishers, 1877–1880; J. S. Dickerson and R. N. Van Doren, editors, and Goodman and Dickerson Company, publishers, 1907. **AHCUW**

AMERICAN ODD FELLOW AND MAGAZINE OF LITERATURE AND ART, August, 1848–——(?): Monthly. This was the first organ of secret societies in Chicago. Edited by J. L. Enos and Rev. William Rounseville; published by James L. Enos and Company. Vol. 1, no. 1, owned by Frank W. Scott, Urbana, Illinois.

FIELD PIECE, June 14 till Fall, 1848: A Whig campaign paper supporting Taylor and Fillmore. Edited and published by R. L. Wilson. **NF**

FREE SOIL BANNER, April–November, 1848: A campaign paper issued by the *Western Citizen* to support Van Buren and the Free Soil party.

ILLINOIS STAATS-ZEITUNG, April, 1848 to date: Established by Robert Bernhard Hoeffgen. He was soon succeeded as editor by Dr. Hellmuth; Arno Voss, 1848–1849; Herman Kriege, 1849–1850; Geo. Schneider with Mr. Hoeffgen as manager, 1850–1852; Schneider and Hillgaertner, 1852–1854; Schneider and Schlaeger, 1854. Subsequently H. Beinder and Daniel Hertle became incorporated with the editorial staff, but Mr. Schneider was the animating spirit. At first it was a weekly, but under Mr. Kriege it was made a semi-weekly and then tri-

weekly. In 1851 Mr. Schneider made it a daily. In 1854 the publication of the *Sonntag Zeitung* was begun. In 1862 Schneider sold his interest to Lorenz Brentano, who became editor. A. C. Hesing became sole owner in 1867; Herman Raster became editor, and remained in that position until 1891, when he was succeeded by William Rapp. Hesing was succeeded in the management by his son, Washington Hesing. By 1874 the Sunday edition had been changed to *Der Westen.* The Illinois Staats-Zeitung Company were editors and publishers, and in politics the paper was Independent. In 1881 the weekly edition and *Der Westen* were listed as Independent, the daily edition as Independent-Republican. By 1907 the Sunday edition had been changed to *Westen Und Daheim.* Since then the daily, Sunday, and weekly editions have been Independent-Republican. The Illinois Publishing Company are publishers. The entire stock of this company, which was owned by Mrs. Herman Raster and Richard Michaelis, is owned at present by Walter R. Michaelis[1] and Horace L. Brand. The *Staats-Zeitung* was active in urging the movement which resulted in the formation of the Republican party. It strenuously opposed the Kansas-Nebraska Bill and the extension of slavery. ENAHUC

LADY'S WESTERN MAGAZINE, December, 1848–1849: Edited by Benjamin F. Taylor and J. S. Hurlbut; published by Charles L. Wilson. Mr. Taylor, the editor-in-chief, was a man of real literary genius, but did not command sufficient business resources to continue the paper long. It was established in imitation of several "ladies' magazines" published in New York and Philadelphia.

NEW COVENANT, 1848–1880+: A Universalist church publication. Edited by Rev. W. E. Mauley and Rev. J. M. Day, 1848–1849; S. P. Skinner, 1849–1855; L. B. Mason, 1855–1859, D. R. Livermore, 1859–1869. According to Mr. Boss, Mrs. Mary Livermore was "real editor" during the period, 1859–1869. In May 1869, Rev. J. W. Hanson, D.D., and Rev. Selden Gilbert became owners. In September of that year, the Northwestern Universalist Publishing House became the publishers, with J. W. Hansen, D.D., as editor and Mr. Gilbert, business manager. In October, 1871, Dr. Hanson became both manager and editor. Rev. W. A. Start was business manager for 1874, but in 1875 Dr. Hanson was again manager and editor. He remained so until 1883, with the Northwestern Universalist Publishing House continuing as publishers. The *Star of the West* of Cincinnati was consolidated with the *New Covenant* in 1880, the name becoming *Star and Covenant,* and the publication being continued

[1] Walter R. Michaelis, editor and part owner, died August 6, 1910.

in Chicago. In December, 1883, the Universalist Publishing House of Boston bought the paper and changed its name to *Universalist.* In May, 1884, Rev. J. S. Cantwell became editor and was still so in 1886. **WHCEF**

NORTHWESTERN JOURNAL OF HOMŒOPATHIA, October, 1848–1852: Monthly. Edited and published by Dr. George E. Shipman. Printed by Whitmarsh and Fulton. It was mainly filled with translations by the editor from various foreign journals and with original papers from his own pen. "Its object was to set forth the principles of homœopathy and to defend and confirm the views of such physicians as had undertaken its practice." **JH**

WESTERN FARMER, 1848 to date (1869): A weekly agricultural paper. It was dated for Madison, Wisconsin and Chicago in 1869. W. B. Davis was editor and publisher in that year.

CHICAGO DOLLAR NEWSPAPER, March 17, 1849– ——(?): A paper edited by James R. Bull. Devoted to literature, news, and agriculture. The *Chicago Dollar Weekly* of this date is mentioned by Mr. H. R. Fleming as "a literary journal of merit." **F**

TEMPERANCE BATTLE-AX, part of 1849: Edited by Charles J. Sellon and D. D. Driscoll.

COMMERCIAL REGISTER, 1850: Issued by J. F. Ballantyne. Short-lived.

DEMOCRATIC ARGUS, August, 1850– ——(?): Issued daily and weekly by B. F. Seaton and W. W. Peck.

ECLECTIC JOURNAL OF EDUCATION AND LITERARY REVIEW, June, 1850–April, 1851: Appeared monthly; edited by O. F. Bartlett. In April, 1851, Dr. N. S. Davis became editor, and with that number publication ceased. **H**

CHRISTIAN ERA, 1852: An unsuccessful paper published by Rev. Epaphras Goodman.

DAILY DEMOCRATIC PRESS, 1852–July, 1858+: Edited by John L. Scripps and William Bross. In 1854 the firm became Scripps, Bross and Spears (Barton W.). At first it was a non-partisan paper but in 1857 it began expounding the principles of the Republican party. A weekly edition also was issued. July 1, 1858, the *Press* was consolidated with the *Tribune.* **WHCAEF**

DAILY EXPRESS AND COMMERCIAL REGISTER, 1852– ——(?): An Independent commercial penny paper edited by J. Q. A. Wood and W. J. Patterson.

WEEKLY EXPRESS, 1852–1853: Conducted by J. F. Ballantyne and Company. Continued about a year.

FRIHED'S BANNERET, 1852–1853: First Norwegian paper published in Chicago. Edited by Mouritzon and Kjoss.

LITERARY BUDGET, 1852–1855+: Published monthly by William Weaver Danenhower, a bookseller, who established the paper as a medium for the advertising of books and periodicals. After seven monthly issues it was changed, January 7, 1854, to a weekly, with Benjamin F. Taylor as editor. T. H. Whipple appeared as associate editor in the same year. In its weekly form the *Budget* grew into a "literary journal of distinct merit," concentrating its attention upon matters concerning the West. It states editorially, "A new field is open to authorship. . . . The West is full of subject-matter for legend, story or history. . . . All that is lacking is a proper channel. This channel we offer. The *Budget* claims to be a western literary paper, and we invite writers to send us articles on western subjects, for publication." The paper was continued until 1855. In the summer of that year Mr. Danenhower "became state leader of the 'Native American' or 'Know-Nothing' party, which had during the year preceding carried two eastern commonwealths and had shown strength in the middle states. He announced that the *Budget* would 'close its existence,' that he would 'launch his bark' once more, and that his numerous readers would receive the *Weekly Native Citizen*. As a spokesman of the reaction against the immigration due to the Irish famine and the continental revolutions of 1848 and 1849, he wrote vehemently. With the *Budget's* last breath he said: 'We trust that our future exertions will be such as to exemplify to the world that the pure fire of American sentiment is sweeping over our vast prairies; that hereafter America shall and must be governed by Americans.'"[1] **H**

DAILY NATIVE CITIZEN, +1855– ——(?): A *Weekly Native Citizen* was projected as the successor of *Literary Budget*. Evidence has not been obtainable to prove that this paper was actually published W. W. Danenhower who was to be the editor and publisher of the weekly, issued the daily, for at least six months. **F**

TIMES, June 12, 1852–October 18, 1853: A Free Soil paper, daily and tri-weekly, established in connection with the *Western Citizen* and discontinued when that paper was changed to *Free West*. It was at first published by Lee and Townsend; after eighteen numbers, by E. C. Townsend and Company; after the twenty-first number by Lyman E. D. Wolf; edited and published after no. 45 by C. T. Gaston; published after No. 86 by Gaston, Muir, and Company. By No. 125, November 16, 1852, Zebina Eastman had become editor and publisher. **HF**

WESTERN TABLET, February 7, 1852–1855: A Catholic literary periodical published by Daniel O'Hara. **HF**

[1] Herbert E. Fleming, *Literary Interests of Chicago*, 390.

CHRISTIAN BANKER, January 8, 1853– ——(?): Only eight numbers were issued. Published by Seth Paine and John W. Holmes as an advertisement for their bank. For an account of that curious institution see Andreas, *Chicago*, vol. 1, pp. 539–544. **F**

CHRISTIAN SHOEMAKER, 1853: Published for only a short time by F. V. Pitney as a travesty on the *Christian Banker*.

COURANT, 1853–1854+: An Independent daily edited by William Duane Wilson. Sold to Messrs. Cook, Cameron, and Patterson, and changed to **F**

YOUNG AMERICA, +July 4, 1854+: A Democratic paper edited by J. W. Patterson, published by Cook, Cameron, and Patterson. Daily and weekly. It was soon changed to **F**

CHICAGO DAILY TIMES,[1] +August 30, 1854–1860+: The founders and publishers of the *Times* were Isaac Cook, James W. Sheahan and Daniel Cameron. It was a Democratic daily, edited by James W. Sheahan, 1854–1856; James W. Sheahan and Daniel Cameron, 1856–1858; Sheahan and William Price, 1858–1860; published by Cook and Company. In 1860 Cyrus H. McCormick, owner of the *Herald*, purchased the *Times* and consolidated the two papers under the name of the **HANF**

TIMES AND HERALD, +1860– ——(?)+: E. W. McComas was placed in editorial charge. The paper appears to have assumed very soon the title of **H**

DAILY CHICAGO TIMES, +1860(?)–June 20, 1861+: Under the care of Mr. McComas, who was a journalist from Virginia, the paper became an exponent of the Southern Democracy. McCormick was proprietor and Daniel Cameron publisher until June 8, 1861, when Wilbur F. Storey became editor and proprietor. From late in 1860 to June 20, 1861, the *Times* was numbered vol. 1, until no. 275, June 21, 1861, when vol. 7 was used and the title changed from *Daily Chicago Times* to **NAH**

[1] President Lincoln contributed the following anonymous note to the Washington *Chronicle*, June 6, 1863:

"EDITOR OF THE CHRONICLE: In your issue of this morning you have an article on the Chicago *Times*. Being an Illinoisan, I happen to know that much of the article is incorrect. As I remember, upon the repeal of the Missouri Compromise, the Democratic newspapers at Chicago went over to the opposition. Thereupon the *Times* was established by the friends of the administration, Senator Douglas being the most prominent in establishing it. A man by the name of James Sheahan, from this city, was its first and only editor nearly if not quite all the remainder of the senator's life. On the political separation between Mr. Buchanan and Senator Douglas, the *Times* adhered to the senator, and was the ablest paper in his support through his senatorial contest with Mr. Lincoln. Since the last presidential election certainly, perhaps since Senator Douglas's death, Mr. Sheahan left the *Times;* the *Times* since then has been identical with the *Times* before then in little more than the name. The writer hereof is not well enough posted to say but that your article in other respects is correct."—*Complete Works of Abraham Lincoln*, viii, 292, 293.

CHICAGO TIMES, +June 20, 1861–March 4, 1895+: After the emancipation proclamation, the *Times* ceased to favor the prosecution of the war, and was bitter in its denunciations of Lincoln's administration. It became such a radical "copperhead sheet" that General Ambrose E. Burnside, in command of the Department of the Northwest, with headquarters at Cincinnati, issued an order for the suppression of the *Times*, and the commander at Camp Douglas was charged with the execution of the order. On the morning of June 3, 1863, soldiers marched into the press room and took possession. Mass meetings were held during the day in advocacy of free speech and a free press. A petition to President Lincoln to revoke the order was signed by some of the most prominent Republicans and business men of the city, and Senator Lyman Trumbull and Isaac N. Arnold telegraphed personally to Mr. Lincoln to the same effect. The order was revoked by the President and publication was resumed June 5. After the presidential campaign of 1868 the *Times* ceased to be a party organ, claimed to be Independent, and made many vigorous onslaughts on the Democratic party. However, it supported the Democratic candidates of 1876, 1880 and 1884. In the fall of 1863, Franc B. Wilkie joined the editorial staff, and in 1867 André Matteson became a part of the editorial force for the second time. Ananias Worden was manager from 1861 to 1865; H. B. Chandler, 1865–1870; Mr. Storey became sole owner in 1870, and made A. L. Patterson manager. The establishment was destroyed in the great fire of 1871, but reappeared very soon after. Mr. Storey, who had been the leading spirit of the paper for over twenty years, died in October, 1884; the paper went into the hands of a receiver and was sold in 1887 to a new Chicago Times Company headed by James J. West, who was manager. He was ousted later, and succeeded by Huiskamp Brothers, with Joseph R. Dunlap as editor. In 1891 Carter H. Harrison formed the Newspaper Company and bought the *Times*. Carter H. Harrison, Jr., was made business manager, and Preston Harrison managing editor. March 4, 1895, it was joined to the *Herald*—hence *Times-Herald*, which on March 28, 1901, was consolidated with the *Record* as the *Record-Herald*. **EWDNAHSUC**

EVANGELIST, 1853–1855+: A paper representing the tenets of the New School of Presbyterians. Edited by an association of Presbyterian clergymen, the resident editors being Rev. H. Curtis and Rev. R. W. Patterson; associate editors, G. W. Gale, S. G. Spears, W. H. Spencer, A. Eddy, and S. D. Pilkin. In April, 1854, Rev. Joseph Gaston Wilson took editorial charge. In

1855 it was merged into the *New York Evangelist*, which thereafter had a northwestern editor in Chicago. **F**

HORNER'S CHICAGO AND WESTERN GUIDE, 1853: Monthly. Published by W. B. Horner; purported to contain all information for traveling by railroad, steamboat, and stage from Chicago to every town in the Northwest, and to any important city in the United States. **F**

NEW CHURCH INDEPENDENT AND REVIEW, 1853 to date (1880): A monthly, devoted to Swedenborgian interests. John S. Weller was editor and Weller and Metcalf were publishers, 1874–1880.

NORTHWESTERN CHRISTIAN ADVOCATE, January 5, 1853 to date: A weekly, edited by James V. Watson, 1853–1856; Rev. Thomas M. Eddy, 1856–1868. It was published by Swormated and Poe for the Northwestern Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church and printed by Charles Philbrick. Rigidly anti-slavery. In 1868 the editorship was given to Rev. John Morrison Reid. Mr. Reid was succeeded in 1872 by Arthur Edwards, D.D., editor to 1901. David D. Thompson was editor 1901–1908; Charles M. Stuart in 1909. Hitchcock and Walden were publishers from before 1869 until 1880, with Dr. Luke Hitchcock as manager. In 1880 Walden and Stowe became publishers; Cranston and Stowe, 1884– ——(?); Jennings and Graham in 1907, and to date. **WDUHF**

OLIVE BRANCH OF THE WEST, 1853– ——(?): Published by J. R. Balme, in the interest of Salem Baptist Church. **F**

SLOAN'S GARDEN CITY, 1853–1854(?): A literary paper edited by Walter Sloan, a vender of patent medicines; published at first by Robert Fergus, afterward by Charles Scott and Company. The first few numbers contained a "Sloan's Column," in which his patent medicines were advertised. "Later Oscar B. Sloan, a son, became editor. The patent medicine notices disappeared. The paper became a pro-western literary organ of genuine merit, having, however, a trend toward the family-story type of literary appeal." It was merged in 1854 with the *People's Paper* of Boston, which lived until 1870. **WH**

TRAVELER, 1853(?): Mentioned in the city directory of 1853 as managed by James M. Chatfield, John Chatfield, Jr., William B. Doolittle, and Lee Lars.

YOUTH'S WESTERN BANNER, 1853: A short-lived monthly juvenile publication devoted to temperance, morality, and religion. Edited and published by Isaac C. Smith and Company.

ATLANTIS, 1854: A monthly, edited by Christian Essellen.

DEUTSCHE AMERIKANER, 1854: Edited by George Schtaeger. An anti-Nebraska paper; lasted but a few months.

HOMEOPATH, January, 1854–December, 1856: Bi-monthly. Edited by Drs. D. S. Smith, S. W. Graves, and R. Ludlam. It was a small non-professional magazine. Upon the death of Dr. S. W. Graves, Dr. D. A. Colton became one of the editors. Three yearly volumes of the magazine were completed. **HJ**

MAINE LAW ALLIANCE, 1854: A temperance paper, published by Hiram W. Jewell, with B. E. Hale, Rev. T. Yates, and Dr. Charles Jewett as editors. Short-lived.

PROTESTANT, January, 1854: Monthly. Hays and Thompson were publishers.

SATURDAY EVENING MAIL, January, 1854: A temperance paper edited by George R. Graham. Short-lived.

WESTERN PATHFINDER, 1854 to date (1856): An advertising sheet published in the interest of travelers and real estate men. Owned and edited by W. B. Horner. Published by Horner and Crone.

ASHLAR, September, 1855 to date (1861): A Masonic monthly published simultaneously in Chicago and Detroit. Established by Allyn Weston and conducted by him through three volumes. Then Charles Scott became proprietor; Weston remained editor. In January, 1861, *Ashlar*, "devoted to Masonry, general literature and progress," was edited by J. Adams Allen. **H**

BANK-NOTE LIST, 1855 to date (1864): A semi-monthly edited and published by Granger Adams, a banker. Devoted to reporting financial matters, with especial reference to the means of detecting counterfeits, and containing a report of the banks that were in an embarrassed condition or had ceased to be solvent. This paper appeared in the directory as late as 1862 as published by Mr. Adams. It is given in 1863 and 1864 as published by S. K. Reed.

BEOBACHTER VON MICHIGAN, 1855–1856: A Douglas paper edited by Committi and Becker.

COURIER, 1855: Issued by R. P. Hamilton.

WESTERN FARM JOURNAL, 1855 to date (1877): An agricultural paper. In 1875 Dr. G. Sprague was editor; G. Sprague, F. R. Sprague, and D. J. Walker were publishers; and F. R. Sprague was business manager. Printed at the office of the *Homestead and Western Farm Journal*, Des Moines, Iowa. It is probable that this paper was not published from Chicago prior to 1875.

NATIONAL DEMOCRAT, 1855 to date (1860): A daily Douglas paper; edited by Dr. Ignatius Koch, published by J. E. Committi. Later editors were Koch and Schade, then Koch and Froehlich; later publishers were Michael Diversey, then Fritz Becker, 1857–1859.

NATIVE AMERICAN, September 7, 1855–November, 1856: Started by William Weaver Danenhower, father of Lieutenant J. W. Danenhower, the Arctic explorer. Washington Wright was editor. A daily issued in the interest of the Native American party.

UNION, 1855 to date (1876): A German Democratic paper, issued daily and weekly. Mention is made of a Sunday edition in the directories for 1866, 1869, 1870 and 1876. In 1869 it was called *Westliche Unterhaltungs-Blätter*; in 1876, the *Belletristische Zeitung*. The weekly edition only is mentioned in 1872 and 1873. Frederick Becker and Schlaeger were proprietors in 1861; Becker was sole proprietor, 1862–1863. In 1864 Edward Roesch was editor. F. Becker was publisher in that year and continued so until 1870. W. Bellinghausen and Company were editors and publishers, 1870–1872; the German Newspaper and Printing Company, proprietors and publishers, 1872–1873. Hermann Lieb was editor and publisher, 1873–1876. CE

WESTERN CRUSADER, 1855–1856+: A temperance paper edited by Thos. Williams and Orlo W. Strong. Gerhard (1856) gives J. D. Dow and Company as publishers. Changed to

NORTHWESTERN HOME JOURNAL, +1856– ——(?): Edited by James B. Merwin and published by an association comprising F. H. Benson, J. M. Kennedy, O. W. Strong, R. L. Dunlap, and E. R. Bowen.

WESTERN GARLAND, 1855: A monthly, issued simultaneously in Chicago, Louisville, and St. Louis, devoted to "polite literature, art, science, home and foreign news." It was founded by Mrs. Harriet C. Lindsey and Son, with R. R. Lindsey as editor in Chicago. H

ABEND ZEITUNG, 1856(?)–1858(?): A German daily, published in 1856 by Committi and Becker. In 1858, published by Committi and Bode, edited by Henry Ginal.

COMMERCIAL BULLETIN AND NORTHWESTERN REPORTER, 1856–——(?): Edited by C. H. Scriven and John J. Gallagher.

COMMERCIAL LETTER, 1856–1868+: A critical daily record of the flour, grain, live stock, and provision markets. P. L. Wells was editor and publisher until 1862; H. R. Hulburd, 1863; H. A. Newcomb and Company proprietors. Thomas M. Wignall editor, 1864; Thomas H. Wignall, editor and publisher, 1866–

1868. In 1868 it was incorporated with Chicago *Daily Commercial Report and Market Review.* J

DEMOCRATIC BUGLE, 1856: Published by Charles Leib. Daily. F

DEMOKRAT, 1856 to date (1880): In 1877 W. Kuhl was manager. In 1880 he was still manager, and the Demokrat Printing Company were publishers.

FLOWER QUEEN, 1856–1857: Published by Higgins Brothers.

HERALD, 1856–1857: A daily edited by T. R. Dawley. Listed by Gerhard as daily and weekly, published by Cook and Company.

MANFORD'S MAGAZINE, 1856 to date (1881): A Universalist monthly, listed in Rowell, 1869, as *Manford's Monthly Magazine.* Rev. E. Manford and Mrs. H. B. Manford were editors in 1869; Rev. E. Manford was publisher, and the same is true until 1876, after which time Mr. and Mrs. Manford were editors and publishers. W. W. Clayton was associated with them as editor in 1871.

DAILY NEWS, September, 1856– ——(?): Edited by Walter B. Sloan. F

DAILY PATRIOT, September 30–November, 1856: A Fillmore and Donelson campaign paper. F

PEN AND PENCIL, 1856: An art and story paper. Edited by T. R. Dawley and contributed to by T. Herbert Whipple. F

PRAIRIE LEAF, 1856– ——(?): A monthly, issued for a short time by D. B. Cooke and Company.

DAILY PRICE CURRENT, 1856–1857.

ROUNDS' PRINTERS CABINET, 1856 to date (1881): Published by Rounds and Langdon. In December, 1856, there was but one other journal in the United States that was devoted exclusively to the interest of the 'art preservative'— the *Typographical Advertiser;* Rounds' *Cabinet* was the first of that character in the northwest, the second in the United States in its date of issue, and the first monthly typographical journal in the Union. It is not listed in Rowell, 1869, but is given as an advertising sheet in newspaper directories, 1873–1876, with S. P. Rounds as publisher. Listed in Ayer, 1881, as a quarterly advertising sheet.

SVENSKA REPUBLIKANEN (*Den Svenska Republikanen i Norra Amerika*), +September, 1857–July, 1858: Established by the leaders of the Bishop Hill colony at Galva, and edited by S. Cronsioe. It was soon turned over to Cronsioe as his private property, and removed to Chicago. It was antagonistic to *Hemlandet,* and ultra liberal as to religion,— so much so that the name came to be in bad odor among a large class of the Swedish people.

SUNDAY VACUNA, Spring of 1856– ——(?): The first exclusively Sunday paper in Chicago; named for the goddess of rural leisure.

WESTERN ENTERPRISE, 1856–1857+: An agricultural weekly; merged in the *Prairie Farmer*. Edited by E. Porter Little.

Western Journal of Music, 1856–1857: Semi-monthly. Edited by William H. Currie, and published by R. G. Greene. It was a paper "devoted to literature and art . . . to the advancement of musical knowledge and interest, in the western states particularly."

EVANGEL, 1857(?)–——(?): Edited by J. G. Wilson. Mentioned in the city directory for 1857.

LE JOURNAL DE L'ILLINOIS, 1857–1858: First issued in Kankakee as a weekly on January 2, 1857, by A. Grandpré and Claude Petit, being the first French newspaper published in the state. In September, 1857, it was moved to Chicago under the same management. For one month it was issued semi-weekly, after which it was changed back to weekly.

DAILY LEDGER, 1857: Published by Barnes, Stewart, and Paine. Seth Paine was editor.

CHICAGO MAGAZINE, THE WEST AS IT IS, March–August, 1857: Founded by the Mechanics' Institute, an organization for night-study, the object being partly to secure exchanges gratis for its library. Zebina Eastman was the editor; John Gager and Company were the publishers. The magazine was devoted to literature, biography, historical reminiscence, etc. Mr. H. E. Fleming mentions it as "the literary-historical magazine of highest tone." It was beautifully and profusely illustrated, and though it carried as many advertisements as were usual at that time, its expenses were greater than its receipts. The five numbers published were got out with increasing difficulty, and the magazine expired in August. According to Andreas, the failure was a great loss to the literary interests of the city. Monthly. **CSH**

MUSICAL REVIEW, 1857–1858: Edited by C. M. Cady; published by Higgins Brothers; and printed by Pool and Spaulding.

NORTHWESTERN BANK NOTE AND COUNTERFEIT REPORTER, 1857–1858: Published by Isaac A. Pool. Semi-monthly.

NORTHWESTERN PRESBYTERIAN, 1857 to date (1869): A weekly edited and published in 1869 by Rev. E. E. Erskine and Rev. David McKinney. Rev. J. B. McClure was associate editor.

PRESBYTERIAN EXPOSITOR, 1857 to date (1860): Monthly. **HC**

REAL ESTATE NEWS LETTER AND INSURANCE MONITOR, 1857–1858: Published monthly by Gallaher and Gilbert. Had an existence of only a few months.

REAL ESTATE REGISTER OR THE NORTHWEST, May, 1857–1858: Issued monthly. Edited and published by G. W. Yerby and Company. **E**

CHICAGO RECORD, April, 1857–April 1, 1858+: Monthly. Edited and owned by James Grant Wilson. Devoted to religion, literature, and fine arts. With vol. 2 the title was changed to **ASCHW**

CHURCH RECORD, +April 1, 1858–April 1, 1860+: With vol. 4, April 1, 1860, changed again to **ASCHWF**

CHICAGO RECORD, +April 1, 1860–March 15, 1862+: A new numbering was begun, but the old was resumed with vol. 4, no. 2. In March, 1862, Mr. Wilson sold the magazine to enter the Union army. In the issue for March 15, he says in his parting words that the publication has been a success. It was the pioneer paper of its kind published in the northwest. The purchaser was Rev. Thomas Smith, who in the March 15 issue said he would continue it as **ASHCW**

NORTHWESTERN CHURCH, +March, 1862 to date (1865): An Episcopal church paper. Rev. Thomas Smith was proprietor and publisher, 1862–1865. **WS**

SATURDAY EVENING CHRONOTYPE, 1857: Edited by C. A. Washburn; continued three months.

SUNDAY LEADER, 1857– ——(?): The first exclusively Sunday newspaper of any permanence issued in Chicago. Published by S. P. Rounds; managing editor, Edward Bliss. It lived but a short time, though longer than *Vacuna*. A distinguishing feature was its chess column edited by Lewis Poulson.

SUNDAY HERALD, 1857(?)– ——(?): It was started subsequent to the establishment of the *Sunday Leader*, in opposition to it. The *Herald* ran about a year.

TRESTLE BOARD, 1857– ——(?): Edited and published by J. J. Clarkson in the interest of the Masonic fraternity.

DAILY UNION, 1857–1858: Issued by the Chicago Union Printing Company. Louis Schade was general editor; B. H. Meyers, city editor.

WELLS' COMMERCIAL EXPRESS AND WESTERN PRODUCE REPORTER, 1857–1871: Joel Henry Wells was editor and publisher until 1866; Wells and Vittum, 1866–1868; then Wells alone. At first weekly, then weekly and monthly. A daily edition called *Morning Bulletin* was published from 1857 to 1859. After 1861 there was a daily edition called the *Chicago Commercial Express*. This paper was listed in some of the directories as *Wells' Commercial Express*. **E**

WESTERN RAILROAD GAZETTE, April, 1857–April, 1870+: Stanley G. Fowler was editor and publisher, 1861–1865; A. N. Kellogg, 1866–1870. The title was changed April, 1870, to **WHF**

RAILROAD GAZETTE, +April, 1870–1882+: After the fire of October, 1871, the paper was published simultaneously in Chicago and New York. A. N. Kellogg was proprietor, 1872; A. N. Kellogg and Company were proprietors, 1873. In 1872 S. Wright Dunning and M. N. Forney were editors; S. Boardman was publisher. S. Wright Dunning and M. N. Forney were editors and publishers, 1873–1883. The paper was moved to New York in 1882. June, 1908, it was united with *Railway Age* as *Railroad Age Gazette*, and is still so published. **HWU JC**

ZEITGEIST, 1857–1858: German. Edited by Ernest Georders and published by Charles Hess.

CLOUD AND THE BOW, July 7, 1858–——(?): A semi-monthly religious publication, edited by Rev. W. H. Hadley. "Devoted to the benefit of the friendless, the tempted, and the erring." **EH**

EMERY'S JOURNAL OF AGRICULTURE, January 1–October 7, 1858+: Edited by Henry D. Emery and Charles D. Bragdon. With vol. 2, no. 15 (*Prairie Farmer*, vol. 18, no. 41), October 7, 1858, Mr. Emery, who had bought the *Prairie Farmer*, October 1, continued the paper as *Emery's Journal of Agriculture and Prairie Farmer*, October 7, 1858–January, 1859. January 1, 1859, he shortened the title to the original *Prairie Farmer*, and continued the publication. (See p. 54.) **WH**

HERALD, May, 1858–September, 1860+: Established by Isaac Cook and Charles N. Pine as a Buchanan administration organ to antagonize the *Times*, which supported Douglas. In 1859 it was sold to Cyrus H. McCormick. The *Times* was bought by McCormick in September, 1860, and the first number of the *Daily Times and Herald* was issued September 8. This paper was maintained through the campaign of 1860 as an extreme exponent of State Rights Democracy. Ex-Governor E. W. McComas was editor first of the *Herald*, later of the *Times and Herald*. An advertisement of the *Herald* before the consolidation announces that the paper will continue "an organ of Democratic thought and an exponent of constitutional principles. It will advocate the equal rights of the people and the fraternal union of the States. . . . Its motto is 'Principles, not Men.' As a commercial, mechanical, literary and moral newspaper, it will be inferior to none in the West. Nothing will be allowed in its columns that will cause a blush to the most rigidly pure." (See *Times*.) **A**

NORTHWESTERN PRAIRIE FARMER, October 7, 1858 to date (1860): Established by James C. Medill, editor, and William S. Honnold, publisher, who apparently did not wish to be included among those who sold their good will to H. D. Emery with the

Prairie Farmer. The *Northwestern Prairie Farmer* used the same slogan that the *Prairie Farmer* had used: "Farmers, write for your paper." Charles Betts appeared as an editor some time after the establishment of the paper, which is found in the directory for 1859 and 1860. **E**

NORTHWESTERN QUARTERLY MAGAZINE, October, 1858: Edited by James Grant Wilson and published by Rufus Blanchard. A serious magazine, "the most ambitious of the kind ever attempted in Chicago, and quite pretentious for so early a date . . ." In telling of the aims of the magazine the editors said that "the broad fields of literature" were to be traversed "and the progress of fine arts to be traced." The financial embarrassment of Mr. Blanchard in another publication enterprise prevented the appearance of a second number of the *Quarterly*, even though the material for it was in the proof. **H**

DET RÄTTA HEMLANDET, +1858–1873+: Established in Galesburg in 1856 as a monthly devotional paper, it was removed to Chicago in 1858. It editors to 1873 were the same as for *Hemlandet*. Merged in

HEMLANDET, DET GAMLA OCH DET NYE, +January 7, 1858 to date: A Swedish Lutheran paper, published at Galesburg from January 3, 1855, to 1858, when it was moved to Chicago. It was edited by Rev. T. N. Hasselquist, 1855–1858; Dr. Eric Norelius, assisted by Jonas Engberg, 1859; Norelius was succeeded by Erland Carlsson, assisted by Engberg. Carlsson turned the work over to Engberg, 1863–1864; Dr. A. R. Cervin, 1864–1868; J. G. Princell, January–July, 1869; P. A. Sundelius, 1869; Johan Alfred Enander, 1869–1872; Enander and G. A. Bohman, 1872–1889. The firm was dissolved in 1889, and was succeeded by the Hemlandet Publishing Company, 1890. In 1891 *Hemlandet* was sold to A. E. Johnson with J. N. Söderholm as partner, editor-in-chief, and manager, 1891–1896; in 1896 Johnson bought out Söderholm, organized the Hemlandet Company with himself as president, and Johan Alfred Enander again became editor. In 1869 the character of the paper was changed from a mainly religious to a general newspaper. Republican and still devoted to the interests of the Lutheran church.

BANK NOTE REPORTER AND COUNTERFEIT DETECTOR, 1859 (?) to date (1860): Listed in city directories for 1859 and 1860 as issued monthly and semi-monthly by E. K. Willard and Mr. Young. A *Bank Note Reporter* is listed in 1861 with E. I. Tinkham as publisher, and *McElroy's Bank Note Reporter* is listed in 1862 and 1863.

CHRISTIAN INSTRUCTOR AND WESTERN UNITED PRESBYTERIAN, 1859(?) to date (1880): The first mention of this publication is in the directory for 1879, although 1859 is given as the time when it was established. In 1879 it was listed as *Christian Instructor*, with Morrison, McCoy, and McDill as publishers. The longer name was used the next year; John Morrison and A. G. McCoy were editors and publishers. Then the short name was used, and Albert McCoy was named as editor.

DENTAL COSMOS, 1859 to date (1879): A monthly, devoted to dental surgery and advertising. Printed in Philadelphia; issued simultaneously in Philadelphia, New York, Boston, and Chicago. In 1876, James W. White, M.D., D.D.S., was editor, and Samuel S. W. White, publisher. The journal had the same editor and publisher to date (1879).

NORTHWESTERN HOME AND SCHOOL JOURNAL, 1859(?)–——(?): J. T. Eberhart was proprietor, and the assistant editor was Rolla A. Law. The paper appears in the city directory for 1859.

PHILLIPS' NORTHWESTERN MONEY REPORTER AND INSURANCE JOURNAL, 1859(?)–——(?): Issued weekly, monthly, and semi-monthly by B. W. Phillips. Noted in the city directory for 1859. Listed also as *Northwestern Money Reporter*.

REPORT OF SUITS, JUDGMENTS, CHATTEL MORTGAGES, ETC., 1859(?) to date (1860): Listed in the city directories for 1859 and 1860 as a daily, published by Edward Bean.

WESTERN BANNER, 1859(?) to date (1860): Listed in the directories for 1859 and 1860 with B. D. Killian as editor and proprietor.

BAPTIST MONTHLY, January, 1860 to date (1861): "A repository of original sermons, reviews, literary and religious miscellany." W. Stuart Goodno was publisher. John Russell of Bluffdale was a regular contributor. H

COMMERCIAL LETTER, 1860(?)–——(?): A daily listed in the city directory of 1860.

CONGREGATIONAL REVIEW, 1860(?) to date (1871): A religious bi-monthly, published in 1870 and 1871 by G. S. G. Savage.

HOME LAND, 1860(?)–——(?): A German weekly listed in the city directory of 1860.

HOME VISITOR, 1860 to date: A philanthropic monthly, issued by the Chicago Home for the Friendless as an organ of communication with its constituency. Goodman, Church, and Donnelley were publishers, 1867–1868. Mrs. Mary G. Clarke was editor, 1869–1871; Eliza W. Bowman, 1872–1880; Ellen C. Babbitt was editor in 1907. Mary B. Stalker has been editor since 1907.

KATHOLISCHES WOCHENBLATT, 1860 to date: E. Schultze was proprietor, 1862–1863; Franz Xavier Brandecker was editor and publisher, 1864–1880. In 1908 Brandecker was publisher and George Schleyer was editor. In 1863 this paper was listed as the *Catholic Journal*. German Catholic.

MARKET REVIEW AND PRICE CURRENT, 1860 to date (1861): Listed in the city directories of 1860 and 1861 as a weekly, published by P. L. and J. H. Wells.

CHICAGO MEDICAL EXAMINER, January, 1860–September, 1875+: Issued monthly. N. S. Davis, M.D., and Frank W. Reilly, M.D., were editors, and W. Cravens and Company were publishers, 1861–1862; N. S. Davis was editor, 1863–1864, and editor and publisher, 1865–1870. From 1873 to 1875 N. S. and I. H. Davis were editors and publishers. After 1871 the word *Chicago* was dropped from the title, and the paper was a semi-monthly. In September, 1875, the *Medical Examiner* was united with the Chicago *Medical Journal* as the Chicago *Medical Journal and Examiner*. (See Chicago *Medical Journal*.) **H**

MEDICAL INVESTIGATOR, 1860–1875+: This was a bi-monthly homeopathic journal of a somewhat popular order, edited anonymously and published at least until 1874 by C. S. Halsey, except in 1861, when the publishers were Halsey and King. It reported the progress of the various homeopathic societies throughout the country and gave extracts from the lectures that were being given at the Hahnemann Medical College. At the close of 1866 it became a strictly professional monthly, with Dr. T. C. Duncan as its editor. In 1875 it was merged with the *United States Medical and Surgical Journal*, and became the **H**

UNITED STATES MEDICAL INVESTIGATOR, +1875–1893: Semi-monthly. Dr. T. C. Duncan editor and publisher, 1875; Dr. T. C. Duncan editor, and F. Duncan manager, 1876; Dr. T. C. Duncan editor, and Duncan Brothers publishers, 1877-1880. Dr. W. E. Reed became editor in 1889, and was succeeded in January, 1891, by Dr. Charles H. Evans. In 1893 its publication was discontinued. **W**

MORNING POST, December 25, 1860–1865+: Daily and weekly. Established by James W. Sheahan, André Matteson, and Francis A. Eastman as a Democratic paper, friendly to Douglas, and conservatively supporting the war measures of the government. It was edited by J. W. Sheahan, 1862–1865, and published by the Chicago Post Company. In 1863 it became the *Post* and continued so until 1865. In that year Sheahan and Matteson were editors and F. A. Eastman was manager. The latter had sold his interest to William Pigott in 1862. The paper was sold to

the founders of *Republican* in 1865, and a new *Post* started September 4, 1865, which after a few months became the *Evening Post* (which see). NAH

NORTHWESTERN MONEY REPORTER, 1860(?): Listed in the city directory of 1860 as weekly, semi-monthly, and monthly.

NORTHWESTERN PULPIT, February, 1860– ——(?): A monthly repository of original sermons, reviews, and articles literary and religious. Published by W. Stuart Goodno at Jacksonville in accord with action taken by the Illinois Baptist General Association. Dated at Chicago and Jacksonville. H

RAIL SPLITTER, June 23 till fall, 1860: A Lincoln campaign paper edited by Charles Leib. Each issue contained at least one pertinent and forcible cartoon. H

SATURDAY EVENING REVIEW, 1860(?): Published by William Pigott.

STIMME DES VOLKS, 1860(?): Weekly.

WELLS' MARINE REGISTER, 1860(?) to date (1864): Published daily during navigation.

WESTERN CHURCHMAN, 1860(?): Monthly. Listed in the directory for 1860.

AMERICAN BEE JOURNAL, 1861 to date: Monthly. Devoted to the interests of bee-keepers. In 1873 and 1874 W. F. Clarke was editor; Thomas G. Newman, business manager; and the American Publishing Company were publishers. In 1875 Mr. Clarke and Mrs. E. S. Tupper were editors, with the same manager and publishers. Thomas G. Newman was editor and publisher in 1876. For the four years following Thomas G. Newman was editor; Newman and Sons were publishers. In 1907 George W. York was editor, the publishers were George W. York and Company. J

AMERICAN JOURNAL OF MATERIA MEDICA, 1861(?) to date (1862): A monthly medical journal, edited by George E. Shipman, M.D.; published by Halsey and King.

INSURANCE AND RAILWAY REGISTER, 1861(?) to date (1863): Monthly. J. A. Nichols was editor and proprietor.

LEGAL ADVISER, 1861 to date: A monthly advertising sheet devoted to legal interests. Its aim "is to be a medium of information on questions of law, administration, and public policy, colonial and foreign affairs, industrial arts and sciences, popular literature, etc." E. M. Haines, who established the paper, was still editor and publisher in 1880. The Legal Adviser Publishing Company were editors and publishers in 1907. NHU

LUMBERMAN'S ADVERTISER AND WEEKLY PRICE CURRENT, 1861(?) to date (1862): Nat. A. Haven was publisher.

MERCHANTS' MONTHLY CIRCULAR AND ILLUSTRATED NEWS, 1861 (?)+: J. C. W. Bailey was editor and proprietor. In the first year of its existence the paper became the *Chicago Merchants' Weekly Circular and Illustrated News*, listed also as *Chicago Merchants' Weekly Circular.*

CHICAGO MERCHANTS' WEEKLY CIRCULAR AND ILLUSTRATED NEWS, +1861–1866+: An advertising sheet that carried some continued stories and other "light literature." Published by John C. W. Bailey. In 1866 the paper became the **H**

WESTERN MERCHANTS' PRICE CURRENT AND MANUFACTURERS' RECORD, +1866–1870: A weekly commercial paper and advertising sheet. It was edited and published by John C. W. Bailey, except in 1869, when Mr. Bailey and William Holly were editors and Mr. Bailey publisher. The paper was listed in the various directories as given above; or as *Price Current and Manufacturers' Record, Western Merchants' Price Current*, or *Merchants and Manufacturers' Record.*

L'OBSERVATEUR DE CHICAGO, 1861(?)–——(?): A French paper. S. E. Pinta was publisher.

PRESBYTERIAN RECORDER, January 3, 1861(?) to date (1862): The publishers of this paper were Lake, Quinlan, and Raymond. **U**

PROGRAMME, 1861– (after 1873): A daily, devoted to theatrical interests. G. W. Morris was publisher, 1868–1870. P. H. Massic was editor and publisher in 1870 and publisher in 1871. In 1873 Marsh and Baker were publishers.

DAILY RECORD AND HOTEL REGISTER, 1861(?) to date (1870): John J. W. O'Donoghue was editor, proprietor, and publisher, 1864–1870. It is listed as *Daily Record* in the city directories, 1867–1870. Rowell mentions it in 1869 as *Evening Record*, and gives 1861 as date of establishment. **E**

AMERICAN CHURCHMAN, 1862 to date (1871): An Episcopal church paper edited by Hugh Miller Thompson. In 1869 H. R. Hayden was publisher. The American Churchman Company were publishers 1870 and 1871. **S**

AMERICAN SPIRIT AND WINE TRADE REVIEW, 1862(?) to date (1881): A commercial semi-monthly publication. J. T. Pratt was editor, 1878–1879. The title of the paper is given also as *Wine and Spirit Review*, and *Western Spirit and Wine Trade.*

FARMERS' VOICE AND RURAL OUTLOOK, 1862 to date: An agricultural monthly. H. A. Bereman was editor, and the Farmers' Press Publishing Company were publishers in 1907–1908.

INDEX UNIVERSITATES, March, 1862– ——(?): A college monthly paper "published by the classes of the University of Chicago." The editors of the first number were John S. Mabie, Thomas W. Goodspeed, P. Albert Coen, and Hugh M. Howie. H

MCELROY'S BANK NOTE REPORTER, 1862(?)–1863(?): Issued monthly and semi-monthly. This may have been a continuation of *Bank Note Reporter.*

NATIONAL BANNER, May 1–November, 1862+: A monthly. Established by Miss Delphine P. Baker to create a patriotic fund for the relief of disabled soldiers and their families, to disseminate literature of high tone, etc. George D. Prentice, Benjamin F. Taylor, James Grant Wilson, Horace Greeley, William H. Channing, and Theodore Tilton were contributors. After seven numbers the *Banner* was issued from Washington. H

TELEGRAPH, 1862(?) to date (1864): Issued daily and weekly. G. Feuchtinger was proprietor in 1862. In 1863 Dr. Ernest Schmidt was editor and proprietor. C. Knobelsdorf and Binder were editors and proprietors 1864.

BLÄTTER, 1863(?)–——(?): A German paper published by Henry Hoiser.

HAUSFREUND, 1863(?)–1871(?): A weekly religious paper conducted in 1863 by an association of evangelist pastors for the United Evangelical Church. Joseph Hartman was editor, George E. Gross publisher in 1864; Rev. E. Guntrum was editor in 1870–1871, and the Northwestern German Company Synod were publishers. H

JOURNAL OF COMMERCE, 1863–1896+: J. E. C. Heyer was commercial editor in 1869; D. Kerr, Jr., was business manager; and Tappan, McKillop, and Company were editors and publishers. The same was still true in 1877. The name of William Baker appears as proprietor at this date. In 1880 the Journal of Commerce Company were publishers. In 1896 the title of the paper was changed to *Iron and Steel.* HE

DAILY MUSEUM, 1863–1864+: A daily advertising sheet published in the interest of the Chicago Museum by Robert V. Kennedy. It was changed to H

MUSEUM AND HOTEL REGISTER, +1864(?) to date (1873): Daily except Sunday. R. V. Kennedy was editor and publisher in 1869; S. S. Schoff and Company, 1870. In 1873 the Evening Mail Company were editors and publishers.

NEW WORLD, 1863 to date (1873): A weekly publication devoted to temperance. It was dated from Chicago and Detroit. The new World Company edited and published the paper in 1872; J.

and C. P. Russell were editors and F. N. Newman was publisher in 1873. Not the same as the paper now issued under same name.

PEOPLES' DENTAL JOURNAL, 1863 to date (1865): Issued quarterly. W. W. Allport, D.D.S., and S. P. Creighton were editors in 1863; W. W. Allport, D.D.S., A. Hill, D.D.S., and J. Richardson, D.D.S., were editors, and L. P. Haskell was publisher in 1864 and 1865. **H**

SONG MESSENGER, 1863 to date (1875): Monthly. Root and Cady were editors and publishers, 1869–1870. J. R. Murray was editor in 1871, and Root and Cady were publishers. W. S. B. Mathews was editor, and Root and Cady were publishers, 1872–1873. In 1874 and 1875 F. W. Root was editor and George F. Root and Sons were publishers. A copy for April, 1868, owned by the American Antiquarian Society, Worcester, Massachusetts, bears the title *Song Messenger of the Northwest.* **EC**

VOICE OF MASONRY, January, 1863–1883(?): Monthly, devoted to Masonic science, harmony, and uniformity. It had as subtitles *and Tidings from the Craft*, and *and Family Magazine*. Robert Morris and J. Adams Allen were its first editors. J. C. W. Bailey soon became publisher, and in 1869 editor also, in which position he continued until 1873, when John W. Brown became associated with him. In 1875 A. G. Mackey became associated with Brown as editor. This continued until 1879 or 1880, when J. W. Brown became editor and publisher, and continued as far as available files go. **HC**

VOLUNTEER, October–November, 1863: A daily, edited by "the ladies of the Northwestern Fair," and published by W. S. Spencer.

WESTERN RURAL, 1863–1883+: An agricultural paper, listed as a weekly in 1879 and bi-weekly in 1881, and dated for Chicago, Columbus, and Kansas City. H. N. F. Lewis was editor and publisher 1863–1869. In 1870 F. H. Glenn, Chicago, and Edward Mason, Detroit, were associate editors. In 1873 it was listed as *Western Rural and Family Weekly Paper.* On September 22, 1883 it became *Western Rural and American Stockman.* **WHE**

WORKINGMAN'S ADVOCATE, 1864 to date (1879): Messrs. Blake and Hayde were publishers in 1864. The name of the paper is given in the directory for 1867–1868 as *Workingman's Advocate and Anti-monopolist*, with the Anti-monopolist Publishing Company as publishers. It was the official organ of the labor union in 1869. A. C. Cameron was editor and publisher, 1869–1879. Dated from Chicago, Detroit, and Cincinnati in 1879. **U**

ACADEMY OF MUSIC GAZETTE, 1864(?) to date (1867): A weekly, devoted to musical interests. W. J. Jefferson and Company

were publishers, 1864–1865; G. S. Utter and Company, 1866–1867.

ADVENT CHRISTIAN TIMES, 1864 to date (1877): A second-advent weekly. In 1873 William L. Hines was editor; in 1874–1875, William Sheldon; 1876–1877, Frank Burr. The publishers during these periods were the Western Advent Christian Publishing Society. U

AMERICAN LAW MANUAL, 1864(?) to date (1867): A quarterly publication, devoted to legal interests. E. M. Haines was publisher, 1864–1867.

BATAVIER IN AMERICA, 1864(?)– ——(?): A Batavian paper, published by John Vant Woud.

BRITISH AMERICAN, October, 1864– ——(?): "A weekly journal of foreign and domestic news." Its foreign news seems to have been secured entirely from foreign papers. H

DEUTSCH-AMERIKANISCHE MONATSHEFTE, 1864– ——(?): An excellent journal of politics, science, and literature, edited by Caspar Butz and a number of associated editors, including Carl Schurz, Emil Preetorius, and Franz Sigel.

GERMAN AMERICAN, 1864(?) to date (1872): Published by Caspar Butz, 1864–1866. It is listed as weekly in 1872; published by Lieb and Hornaday. It had started as a monthly.

HERALD OF TRUTH, 1864(?)–1867(?): A monthly Mennonite paper published in English and in German. John F. Funk was editor and proprietor.

MYSTIC STAR, July, 1864 to date (1874): A monthly, devoted to Masonic interests, bearing the motto, "Let there be light." The editors and publishers were as follows: Rev. W. J. Chaplin, Rev. James Billings, and Solomon D. Bayless, P.G.M., editors, and James Billings, publisher, July, 1866–July, 1867; Rev. James Billings and Solomon D. Bayless, editors, and James Billings, publisher, July, 1867–January, 1868; James Billings, editor-in-chief, Solomon D. Bayless and S. Ashton, associate editors, and Ashton and Company, publishers and proprietors, January, 1868–January, 1869; Ashton and Company, editors and publishers, 1869; J. Billings, editor and publisher, 1870–1871; J. Billings, editor and F. M. Newman, publisher, 1872–1873; Mystic Star Company, editors and publishers, 1874. H

PEOPLES' JOURNAL OF HEALTH, 1864(?) to date (1865): Issued monthly. Dr. Juston Hayes and Dr. C. R. Blackwell were publishers.

SANDEBUDET, +December, 1864 to date: Removed to Chicago from Rockford, where it was established as a fortnightly Swedish Methodist paper by Victor Wittig on July 18, 1862. After a year and a half Albert Ericson became editor and remained so until November, 1864, when the M. E. Book Concern took over the publication and removed it to Chicago, where it was published by Poe and Hitchcock beginning December 8. In August, 1863, it was changed to a weekly. Victor Wittig became editor 1865; and Albert Ericson again 1867–1871. It was suspended for about a year after the fire; reappeared October 14, 1872, with N. O. Westergreen as editor; William Henschen, 1875–1882; Victor Wittig, 1882–1889; William Henschen, 1889–1898; H. K. Elmström, 1898–1902; William Henschen, 1902 to date. In 1889 *Sändebudet* passed into the control of the Swedish M. E. Book Concern, which merged *Väktaren* (begun 1888) in the older paper. Independent in politics.

TEMPLAR'S OFFERING, 1864(?) to date (1867): Cowdery and Law were publishers, 1864–1865, and Rolla A. Law was publisher, 1866–1867.

UNION BANNER AND COMMERCIAL ADVERTISER, 1864(?): Published by W. S. Spencer and Company.

UNITED STATES REVIEW, 1864 to date (1876): Issued semi-monthly and devoted to insurance. It was dated for Philadelphia and Chicago in 1875. R. R. Deardon was publisher in 1875, and editor and publisher in 1876.

BEE, 1865(?)– ——(?): A daily, published by Pigott and Fowler.

CITY EVENING NEWS, 1865(?)– ——(?): A daily, published by J. M. Climie.

COMMERCIAL ADVERTISER AND COUNTING ROOM MANUAL, 1865(?) – ——(?): John R. Robinson was publisher in 1865.

EVANGELIST, 1865 to date (1881): An evangelical weekly. B. W. Johnson and B. J. Radford were editors and publishers in 1880.

HOME CIRCLE AND TEMPERANCE ORACLE, 1865 to date (1871): A monthly, devoted to "literature, temperance, morality, and the people." S. M. Kennedy was editor and publisher in 1869, and in 1871. A paper called *Home Circle* is mentioned in the directory for 1878–1879.

LITERARY MESSENGER, October 14, 1865– ——(?): "A journal devoted to the interests of the Northwest." "Arts, literature, science, news, fashions and amusements" were included in its pages. The literary element predominated at first, and was creditable. A story by Mrs. M. L. Rayne was begun in the first number. The editor's name was not given.

LITTLE CORPORAL, July, 1865–1875: A monthly, in journal form, devoted to secular, juvenile literature. Its motto was: "Fighting against Wrong, and for the Good and the True and the Beautiful." This excellent magazine was originally published for the United States Sanitary Commission in connection with a fair. Its success and popularity encouraged its continuance for a decade. It was the first periodical from Chicago to secure wide attention, and the first juvenile in the country to be read by children everywhere. It was the forerunner of *St. Nicholas*, of New York, and influenced for the better the character of the *Youth's Companion* of Boston. The names of the editors and publishers are as follows: Alfred L. Sewell, editor and publisher, 1865; Sewell and Edward Eggleston, editors, A. L. Sewell, publisher, 1866–1868; Sewell and Emily Huntington Miller, editors, Sewell, publisher, 1868–1869; Sewell and Emily H. Miller, editors, Sewell and Miller, publishers, 1870; Sewell and E. H. Miller, editors, Alfred L. Sewell and Company, publishers, 1871; Emily Huntington Miller, editor, and John E. Miller, publisher, 1872–1875. Edward Eggleston and Frances E. Willard were frequent contributors. In April, 1872, *Work and Play*, of Springfield, Mass., was absorbed. The circulation of the *Little Corporal* was remarkably large in the early years, but the advertising was not correspondingly developed, and after a gradual decline, the publication ceased in 1875. Vols. 15 and 16, 1872 and 1873, are in the Evanston Public Library. H

MONTHLY, THE, January, 1865–——(?): A Catholic paper devoted to literature, science, and art. Edited at the University of St. Mary's of the Lake; published by J. J. Kearney and James P. Byrne. H

NORTHWESTERN SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHERS' QUARTERLY, January, 1865–1866+: Edited by Rev. J. H. Vincent, Rev. E. A. Pierce, Rev. W. W. Evarts, forming a publication committee. The publication had been begun with the idea of reaching chiefly the teachers of the northwest. After one year the name was changed to H

SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER, +January, 1866–1869+: A continuation of *Northwestern Sunday School Teachers' Quarterly*, edited by Rev. J. H. Vincent, Rev. E. A. Pierce, Rev. W. W. Evarts, forming a publication committee. In 1867 the committee was composed of Rev. Edward Eggleston, Rev. Z. M. Humphrey, Rev. E. G. Taylor, Rev. Charles Edward Cheney, Rev. H. L. Hammond; Prof. H. R. Palmer was art editor. Published by Adams, Blackmer, and Lyon under the auspices of the Chicago Sunday School Union. In January, 1869, changed to HC

NATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER, +January, 1869 to date (1881): A continuation of *Sunday School Teacher*, with the same board of editors and the same publishers. Rev. Edward Eggleston was editor, 1870–1873. The publication was not stopped by the fire. M. C. Hazard was editor from 1874 until after 1880, and Adams, Blackmer, and Lyon were publishers. **H**

POST, September 4, 1865–1874+: A Republican paper, daily and weekly, which until February 3, 1866, was published as the *Post*. Then it appeared as *Evening Post*, and later as the *Chicago Post*, but the title *Evening Post* seems to have prevailed after December 14, 1866. Established by William Pigott, who used the paper successfully to effect the election of the "soldiers' ticket." At first it was published by Pigott and Stanley G. Fowler, but after a few months it was bought by David Blakely, who associated with him in the business department his brother, C. H. Blakely. For a short time General Hasbrouck Davis was editor. In 1867 the Post Printing Company was organized and Charles H. Ray was made editor. In the same year William H. Schuyler became manager. In 1869 Schuyler sold his interest to McMullen Brothers, and J. B. McMullen became manager. Ray died in 1870. Late in 1873 controlling stock was bought by Woodbury M. Taylor and the *Post* was consolidated with the *Mail* to form the **HE**

POST AND MAIL, +January, 1874–1876+: Daily and weekly. In 1876 the *Post and Mail* was continued as the **HUC**

CHICAGO POST, +1876–August, 1878: Woodbury M. Taylor was president of the owning company, and was manager until December, 1877, although McMullen Brothers were publishers for several months in 1877. In 1878, while organizing a new company, Oliver A. Willard, a leading stockholder, died. The paper was continued for a few months by his sister, Frances E. Willard, after which it was sold, August, 1878, to the *News*. **C**

RELIGIO-PHILOSOPHICAL JOURNAL, 1865 to date (1895): A spiritualist paper issued weekly. Early in 1867 a successor to the *Religio-Philosophical Journal* was announced to appear under the name of *Spiritual Republic*. It was not to be "tied to any sect or party . . . " The editors purposed to "correct all the evil of the world and set things in general to rights." Except for one mention of it in the city directory for 1869, there is no evidence that this paper appeared. The old name was being used, moreover, in 1869, according to Rowell's newspaper directory for that year, which gives S. S. Jones as editor and the Religio-Philosophical Publishing Association as publishers. S. S. Jones was editor and publisher, 1870–1877, and proprietor, 1873–1875. In 1879 and 1880, John C. Bundy was editor and manager. **EHUW**

REPUBLICAN, May 30, 1865–March, 1872: A daily established by an imposing list of stockholders, who were dissatisfied with the *Tribune*, including Ira Y. Munn, John V. Farwell, J. K. C. Forrest, and J. Y. Scammon of Chicago; Jesse K. Dubois and Jacob Bunn of Springfield; John Wood of Quincy; J. Wilson Shaffer of Freeport; A. C. Babcock of Canton; A. W. Mock of Kankakee; and Henry Childs of Du Page county. The company bought the plant — and the Associated Press franchise — of the *Morning Post*. Charles A. Dana was made editor, A. W. Mock, publisher. Dana did not assume his duties until well on in July. In just one year these gentlemen withdrew. Dana was not happy in the position, and not enough money was put into the enterprise to put it properly on its feet. A brief suspension followed the change of management. The stock was now controlled by Bunn and Dubois; a new company was formed; V. B. Denslow was made editor, George D. Williston, manager, and publication was resumed August 5, 1865. After one year Denslow withdrew and James F. Ballantyne became editor. He was succeeded by Henry M. Smith, and he by John G. Nicolay in 1869. In 1870 Bunn, having become sole owner, sold to a company consisting of Joseph B. McCullagh, John R. Walsh, H. N. Hibbard, and William H. Schuyler. Burned out in the fire, the *Republican* was bought by John Y. Scammon; it reappeared on October 12, and continued until March, 1872, when it was succeeded by the *Inter Ocean*. Complete file in the library of the Boston Athenæum. **SDHANE**

UNITED STATES MEDICAL AND SURGICAL JOURNAL, October, 1865–September, 1874+: A homeopathic journal, published by C. S. Halsey, under the editorial supervision of Dr. George E. Shipman. Its pages record a great advance in the development of the new system of medical practice. In 1871, on behalf of the Hahnemann Medical College and Hospital, Drs. W. Danforth, A. E. Small, and R. Ludlam bought the interest of Mr. Halsey, the publisher. From that time the journal was largely filled with reports of lectures in that school, and with the transactions of the Chicago Academy of Medicine. After the completion of nine volumes it was merged with the *Medical Investigator*, and became the *United States Medical Investigator*. **HJ**

VOICE OF THE FAIR, April 27 or 28–June 24, 1865: A paper issued in the interest of the Northwestern Sanitary Fair. Weekly until May 30, then daily. Edited by Andrew Shuman. File in the library of Boston Athenæum. **HC**

WESTERN TEMPERANCE ADVOCATE, August 4, 1865 to date (1868): Established as the official organ of the Sons of Temperance, it

was larger in its ambition and scope than that fact indicates. Rev. J. C. Stoughton was editor until January 30, 1868, when the usual lack of funds caused a new arrangement, whereby T. M. Van Court became publisher; the period of issue was changed from a week to a fortnight, and the publication was "edited 'round" by volunteers. It was apparently soon discontinued. H

YOUNG CATHOLIC'S FRIEND, 1865(?)–——(?): A monthly juvenile paper, published by J. J. Kearney.

BANKING AND INSURANCE CHRONICLE, 1866–——(?): Weekly; continued until some time after November, 1867. EHJ

BELLETRISTISCHE ZEITUNG, 1866 to date (1876): The Sunday edition of the Chicago *Union*, edited and published in 1876 by Hermann Lieb.

BROWN SCHOOL HOLIDAY BUDGET, Christmas, 1866–——(?): An amateur paper edited "by S. P. and Tad," S. P. Rounds, Jr., and Thomas Lincoln (son of Abraham Lincoln), and announced to be published occasionally. H

CHRONICLE, 1866–August, 1872+: An insurance and real estate weekly. In 1869, J. J. W. O'Donaghue was editor and publisher. For three years following J. J. W. O'Donaghue and Edgar A. Hewitt were editors; the Chronicle Publishing Company, publishers. In August, 1872, the *Chronicle* was moved to New York.

DAILY COMMERCIAL REPORT AND MARKET REVIEW, 1866–1876(?): The successive editors and publishers were: D. D. Michaels, 1866–1868; Kennedy and Company, 1868–1870; Daley, Slade, and Cowles, 1870; Daley, Cowles, and Dunkley, 1871; Cowles and Dunkley, 1874–1876. C

CONCORDIA, 1866 to date (1869): A quarterly publication, devoted to literature and music. H. R. Palmer and W. S. B. Mathews were editors, and H. R. Palmer was publisher in 1869.

FRANK LESLIE'S BUDGET OF FUN, 1866(?) to date (1867): Leslie and Company were publishers.

FRANK LESLIE'S CHIMNEY CORNER, 1866(?) to date (1867): Leslie and Company were publishers.

JOLLY JOKER, 1866(?)–1867(?): Monthly. A. Leslie was publisher.

HOME PAPERS, 1866(?)–1868(?): Monthly. Published by C. S. Halsey.

LADIES' REPOSITORY, 1866(?)–1870(?): Monthly. Poe and Hitchcock were publishers 1866–1868; J. W. Wiley was editor in 1870.

NATIONAL PROHIBITIONIST, 1866 to date (1871): The Prohibitionist Company edited and published this paper, 1870–1871.

MUSICAL REVIEW, 1866–1867: Edited and published by H. M. Higgins; The title was changed, beginning with the third number, to *Higgins Musical Review.* Monthly. N

NORTH-WESTERN FARMER, 1866 to date (1869): A monthly agricultural publication dated from Chicago and Indianapolis, Indiana. The North-Western Farmer Company were editors and publishers in 1869. U

PRICE CURRENT AND MANUFACTURERS' RECORD, 1866 to date (1870): John C. W. Bailey and William Holly were editors in 1866. Bailey published the paper at that time, and during 1869 and 1870 was both editor and publisher.

REFORM, 1866(?) to date(1867): A German daily paper published by B. F. Bross.

SKANDIVANEN, May 6, 1866 to date: A Norwegian-Danish daily and bi-weekly Republican paper, with a Sunday edition. It was established by Langeland and Anderson. Shortly after it started Knud Langeland became editor and John Anderson proprietor. It was weekly and tri-weekly, 1869–1871, with Langeland as editor. In 1873 Victor F. Lawson bought an interest. Johnson, Anderson, and Lawson were proprietors and publishers, 1874–1875; in 1876 and 1877 Anderson and Lawson were editors and publishers. Mr. Lawson sold his interest in 1889 and the John Anderson Publishing Company has continued as publishers from 1889 to date. Of this firm Nicolay A. Grevstad was chief editor, assisted by Benson, Westby, E. Anderson, C. Solberg, and Steensohn. Files of the paper are available at the office, 183–187 Peoria street, Chicago. UW

SEVEN SOUNDS, 1866(?)–——(?): A musical magazine "adapted to the youth." H. T. Merrill was editor, Merrill and Brennan were publishers in 1866.

SVENSKA AMERIKANAREN, September 8, 1866–1873+: A paper organized and published by a stock company which wished a liberal paper without church or other affiliation. Hans Mattson was editor until February, 1867, though Herman Roos was virtually editor, and was nominally head of the editorial staff from February, 1867, to December, 1869; Peter A. Sundelius, 1868–1870, 1871–1873; A. W. Schalin, January to August, 1871. Sold to Charles J. Stenquist in April, 1873. He changed the name to

NYA SVENSKA AMERIKANAREN, +April, 1873–1876+: Stenquist sold in 1877 to Hans Mattson, who soon transferred the paper to the Swedish Publishing Company. The paper was edited by Magnus Elmblad, then Gottfried Cronwall, then, 1874, by A. L. Gyllenhaal, and later by him and Herman Roos till it was sold

to Mattson. Under the Swedish Publishing Company this paper, *Nya Verlden*, and *Skandia* of Moline, were united to form U

SVENSKA TRIBUNEN, +1876–1906+: Frank Anderson, Andrew Chaiser, C. F. Peterson, and a little later, Hans Mattson were members of the company that owned the paper. In 1880 Mattson sold to Carl Gustaf Linderborg, who made the paper liberal and Independent, with Republican tendencies. But Peterson was a Greeley man in 1872 and afterward Independent, and P. P. Svenson, one of the editors, was a Democrat; as a consequence the politics was mixed. Among the editors were Carl Anton Mellander, until 1894(?). Anders Leonard Gyllenhaal, 1894–1899; C. F. Peterson, 1900; Ernst W. Olson, 1900–1901; Gyllenhaal, 1901–1905; Anders Tofft, October, 1905–spring of 1906; Carl G. Norman, 1906 to date. The plant was sold in 1900 to John E. Norling, P. O. Norling, and Samuel E. Carlsson; John E. Norling became sole proprietor in 1901; he sold to C. F. Erikson in 1905. In 1906 it combined with *Svenska Nyheter* as *Svenska Tribunen-Nyheter*, owned by Erikson and Gustav C. Broberg. The latter soon sold to Erikson. The paper has in the main been Republican.

WESTERN PULPIT, January 1866–——(?): "A monthly theological miscellany devoted to the purity and power of the ministry, and the spiritual improvement and harmony of all Christian believers." The miscellany was heavy, and was edited by a board of six ministers of six various denominations. It was published by Rev. R. F. Shinn. H

WESTLISCHE UNTERHALTUNGS BLÄTTER, 1866 to date (1876): A German Democratic paper, published weekly — the Sunday edition of the *Union*. Frederick Becker was publisher in 1869; Hermann Lieb was editor and publisher, 1873–1876; W. Bellinghausen and Company are also listed as editors and publishers in 1876.

ADVANCE, September 5, 1867 to date: A Congregational weekly established by an association known as the Advance Company. W. W. Patton, D.D., was editor-in-chief 1867–1873, with J. B. T. Marsh, office editor and publisher for the Advance Company. In 1870 A. B. Nettleton was publisher for the Advance Company, but by the year following, J. B. T. Marsh was again filling this post. In 1871 Mr. Marsh and H. L. Turner became the proprietors. Mr. Marsh soon sold his share to Mr. Turner, but continued on the editorial staff to 1875. In 1873 the paper was purchased by Charles H. Howard and Company. Dr. Patton was succeeded as editor by General Howard, who associated with himself Rev. Simeon Gilbert. In 1877 Rev. T. DeWitt

Talmage and Gen. C. H. Howard were editors. The paper was dated from both New York and Chicago, in that year and in 1879. General Howard continued to 1882, when he sold to Rev. Dr. Robert West, who was editor and manager until 1886. Dr. Simeon Gilbert then became editor, with Dr. F. A. Noble as nominal editor-in-chief. After two years Dr. Noble retired and a Mr. Harrison became editor and general manager. In 1907 J. A. Adams was editor. The Advance Publishing Company were publishers. **EWDHACN**

ANZEIGER, 1867(?): German. George F. Gross was publisher.

ARLINGTON HALL PROGRAMME, 1867 to date (1868): Ashley and Bassett were publishers in 1867; Utter and Company in 1868.

ART JOURNAL, October, 1867 to date (1871): Monthly. Established by Martin O'Brien, with a subtitle *An American Review of the Fine Arts*. Special attention was given to art matters of Chicago, but New York, Boston, and European correspondence gave the journal a much wider scope. At the close of the first year J. F. Aitken and Company became the publishers, Charles A. Evans, the editor. J. Wright became editor in July, 1869. **H**

COURIER, 1867 to date (1872): A monthly publication, devoted to commerce, finance, and education. H. B. Bryant was publisher, 1869–1870; Bryant and Chase were editors and publishers, 1871–1872. **E**

GEM OF THE WEST AND SOLDIERS' FRIEND, 1867 to date (1876): A weekly in 1870, later a monthly; edited by C. Augustus Haviland and wife. The Soldiers' Friend Company, known later as the Gem of the West Company, were publishers during the period 1872–1876. The paper is given in the newspaper directory for 1870 as *Western Soldiers' Friend*. **HC**

GREAT WEST, 1867(?) to date (1868): Monthly. Gilbert, Norton, and Company were publishers.

HERALD OF PEACE, 1867 to date (1870): A Friends' paper, published semi-monthly. W. E. Hathaway was editor in 1869; Hathaway and Willet Dorland were editors in 1870. The Herald Company were publishers, 1869–1870. This was said to be the only Friends paper in the west. **E**

HERALD OF THE COMING KINGDOM AND CHRISTIAN INSTRUCTOR, 1867–1871(?)+: A religious semi-monthly publication. In 1869 Thomas Wilson and George Moyer were editors; Wilson, St. Clair, and Company were publishers. In 1870 Thomas Wilson alone was editor; Wilson and St. Clair were publishers. The paper advocated "the literal reign of Christ and his saints upon earth, the restoration of the twelve tribes of Israel, the complete

mortality of man, and the entire destruction of the wicked." It was apparently succeeded in 1871 by *Restitution*.

INSIDE TRACK, 1867 to date (1869): A monthly, devoted to advertising interests. A. N. Kellogg was editor and publisher in 1869.

IRISH REPUBLIC, 1867(?)–——(?): The Irish Republic News Company was publisher.

JOURNAL OF THE FARM, 1867 to date (1872): A monthly agricultural paper. Baugh and Sons were publishers in 1871 and 1872. The paper was dated for Philadelphia and Chicago.

JUXBRUDER, 1867 to date (1871): A German comic weekly. Dr. A. C. Lebell and H. von Sangen were editors, 1870–1871; J. M. Geyerstanger was publisher.

LIBERAL, 1867 to date (1870): A weekly, devoted to "free thought." James Walker was editor and publisher 1869–1870. E

LYCEUM BANNER, 1867 to date (1872): Bi-weekly. Mrs. H. F. M. Brown was editor, and Mrs. Lou H. Kimball was publisher, 1870–1871. In 1872 Mrs. Lou H. Kimball was editor and publisher.

MECHANIC AND INVENTOR, 1867 to date (1873): Monthly. Thomas A. Sprague was editor; the Mechanic and Inventor Association were publishers. In 1873 the journal was dated for Chicago and Detroit.

WEEKLY MERCHANT, 1867(?)–——(?): A commercial weekly paper, published by Truax and Hornish.

NEW REPUBLIC, 1867(?), to date (1870): Rev. W. B. Christopher was editor, 1867–1868. From 1868 to 1870 Frank Gilbert was publisher.

NORTHWESTERN REVIEW, 1867 to date (December, 1874): A weekly paper, devoted to insurance. In 1870 and 1871 it was published monthly. It became weekly again in 1872. R. R. Dearden was editor and publisher, 1870–1874. In 1872 the title was given as *Northwestern Weekly Review*. JCH

OLIVE WREATH, January, 1867–1869+: An Odd Fellows' monthly magazine. W. J. Chaplin was editor and publisher, 1867–1869. D. B. Harrington was also a publisher in 1869. This magazine was consolidated with *Odd Fellows' Wreath*, Detroit, and *Western Odd Fellow*, Mason, to form H

WESTERN ODD FELLOW, +1870(?) to date (1871): A consolidation of *Olive Wreath*, Chicago, *Odd Fellows' Wreath*, Detroit, and *Western Odd Fellow*, Mason. A weekly, devoted to Odd Fellowship. J. B. Wing and W. S. Woodmere, editors, and D. B. and N. W. Harrington, publishers in 1870. J. Ward Ellis, P.

G. M., was editor, and Ellis and Burroughs were publishers in 1871. H

OPERA HOUSE PROGRAMME, 1867(?) to date (1870): A daily. G. S. Utter and Company were publishers.

SPECIMEN, July 1, 1867 to date (1881): A typographical paper, issued quarterly for advertising purposes. It was published by Marder Luse and Company, type founders. J

UNION, 1867(?) to date (1868): Published under the auspices of the Chicago Typographical Union.

L'UNIONE ITALIANO, August 6, 1867 to date (1869): Published weekly by the Italo-American Printing Company. This paper was probably succeeded after one year by *Il Messaggiere Italiano dell' Ouest.* A

UNION STOCK YARDS EXCHANGE, 1867(?) to date (1870): A daily paper, published by H. L. Goodall.

AMERICAN BUILDER AND JOURNAL OF ART, October 15, 1868–1872: Monthly. Established by Charles D. Lakey, publisher, with J. C. Adams as editor. Lakey soon became editor and Stanley Waterloo became his associate. The publication was designed especially to interest builders and to help to remedy defects in American architecture. A considerable amount of space was devoted to art and artists, however, and the journal exerted a beneficial influence in many directions. EH

AMERICAN JOURNAL OF EDUCATION, 1868 to date (1879): A monthly educational magazine. Edited and published in 1873 by Rev. E. N. Andrews and Grace Hurwood. In 1875 and 1876, J. B. Merwin was editor and publisher. In 1879 J. B. Merwin and R. B. Shannon were editors and publishers. The paper was published at St. Louis. Dated for that city and Chicago. W

AMERICAN MESSENGER, 1868(?) to date (1871): Monthly. Published in English as the *American Messenger*, and also in German as the *Americanischer Botschafter*. The American Tract Society were the publishers.

BONHAM'S RURAL MESSENGER, 1868 to date (1872): An agricultural monthly, edited and published in 1871 and 1872 by Jeriah Bonham.

CHICAGOAN, April 18, 1868–June, 1869+: A literary weekly of unusually good quality, published by H. N. F. Lewis. The first number began a story by George S. Phillips. Robert Collyer conducted a column; Robert Dale Owen was a contributor. The paper contained good book reviews, and attracted attention for its bold and extreme views on social questions. After about one year the *Chicagoan* absorbed *Sorosis* and *Advance Guard*, and became the H

UNIVERSE, +June, 1869–——(?): Edited and published by H. N. F. Lewis. Robert Dale Owen was a contributor.

CHRISTIAN CYNOSURE, 1868 to date: An opponent of secret societies. The newspaper directories from 1871 to 1880 give Rev. J. Blanchard as editor, Ezra Cook and Company as publishers. In 1907, William I. Phillips was editor; the National Christian Association were publishers. The *Christian Cynosure* is given as weekly and bi-weekly in 1872, as weekly in 1879, and as monthly in 1907. **E**

FREMAD, 1868 to date (1871): A Scandinavian weekly, Republican in politics. In 1870 and 1871 S. Beder was editor and publisher.

GOSPEL PULPIT, 1868 to date (1869): A Universalist quarterly. Edited and published by Rev. W. J. Chaplin.

HOME ECLECTIC, 1868 to date (1870): A monthly, devoted to family interests. Sumner Ellis was editor and publisher.

ILLUSTRATED CHICAGO NEWS, April 24, 1868–——(?): A very creditable weekly, with illustrations by Thomas Nast and other well known artists. An editorial in the first number announces that "we shall make the *Illustrated Chicago News*, as far as we are able, a truly Western paper, but at the same time one that will make itself interesting to the East as well as the West." Farnum and Church were the publishers. **H**

DAILY LAW RECORD, 1868(?)–1871(?): R. R. Stevens was publisher.

MARKET REPORTER, 1868 to date (1869): A commercial paper. Howard, White, and Crowell were editors and publishers.

CHICAGO MERCHANTS' AND MANUFACTURERS' RECORD, 1868(?)–——(?): A commercial paper, published by J. C. W. Bailey.

IL MESSAGGIERE ITALIANO DELL' OUEST, November 21, 1868–——(?): Published by the Italo-American Printing Company; Paolo Cella, secretary. **A**

MUSICAL INDEPENDENT, 1868 to date (1873): A monthly devoted to musical interests. W. S. B. Mathews was editor and Lyon and Healy were publishers in 1869 and 1871. Robert Goldbeck was editor and publisher in 1873.

NARODNI NOVING, 1868 to date (1870): A Bohemian weekly publication. Joseph Sladek was editor in 1870; T. B. Belohradsky was publisher.

NEWS FROM THE SPIRIT WORLD, 1868(?) to date (1870): Mrs. A. Buffum edited this publication.

NOVA DOBA, 1868 to date (1871): A weekly Bohemian publication. Joseph Pastor was editor and the Bohemian Printing and Publishing Company were publishers in 1871.

PHARMACIST, September, 1868–1885+: Quarterly for one year, then monthly. Published by the Chicago College of Pharmacy. E. H. Sargent was editor for the first year. Then its title was changed by the addition of *and Chemical Record* (dropped in 1874). The period of publication became monthly and Albert E. Ebert became co-editor with E. H. Sargent. Succeeding editors were: N. Gray Bartlett, editor, Albert E. Ebert, associate editor, 1870–1872; Albert E. Ebert, 1873–1875; J. J. Siddall, business editor, 1874; no editor named, but publication committee of E. H. Sargent, W. F. Blocki, and Albert E. Ebert, 1876; E. H. Sargent and M. W. Borland, 1877; same, plus F. M. Goodman, 1878; H. D. Garrison, editor, 1879–1880; Robert H. Cowdrey managing editor, 1881, editor 1882–1884. The title of *Pharmacist and Chemist* was assumed before 1880(?), and later "a journal of pharmacy, chemistry, materia medica, toxicology and allied sciences" also appeared on the volume title pages. Succeeded by *Western Druggist* in 1885. **H**

POSTAL RECORD, 1868 to date (1872): A monthly. David Green was publisher in 1871; Joseph N. Green in 1872.

PRESENT AGE, 1868 to date (1872): A weekly spiritualist paper. It was dated from New York and Chicago in 1872. Dorus M. Fox was editor and publisher, 1871–1872.

CHICAGO RAILWAY REVIEW, June, 1868–1897+: Established as a weekly by Stanley G. Fowler and D. C. Brooks. Brooks became sole owner after about one year, and in 1873 sold to Willard A. Smith, who was at that time publisher of the *St. Louis Railway Register*. That paper was subsequently incorporated with the *Chicago Railway Review* as *Railway Review*. Mr. Smith continued as sole owner and editor until 1883, when W. D. Crosman became associate editor. He was editor, 1885–1890; Willard A. Smith, editor, James Peabody, Waldo H. Marshall, associates, 1891; James Peabody and Clement F. Street, editors, 1892–1894. Names of editors not given thereafter, until 1902, when W. M. Camp was editor. He has continued to occupy that position, and Willard A. Smith has remained president and general manager to date. The Railway Review, Incorporated, is publisher. Title changed to *Railway and Engineering Review*, April 3, 1897. **CHJUW**

REAL ESTATE AND BUILDING JOURNAL, 1868 to date: Issued weekly and devoted to real estate and building. Charles A. Smith was editor and T. A. Hungerford and Company were publishers in 1873–1874. S. A. Chappell was editor and T. A. Hungerford and Company were publishers in 1875. In 1876 S. A. Chappell was editor, and S. A. Chappell and Company

were publishers. S. A. Chappell was editor in 1877, and John C. Parry was publisher. B. E. Smyers was editor and publisher in 1907, Real Estate and Building Journal Company, 1908. **H**

REPORTER, 1868 to date: Monthly. Established by Francis N. Nichols under the firm name of Nichols and Company. Mr. Nichols was editor and publisher until 1878, and was thereafter editor until 1904. Nichols and Company have been publishers from 1872 to date. The *Reporter* was the pioneer and for many years the only trade magazine published in the interest of the granite and marble monumental trade. It was first located in a small office at Clark and Kinzie streets, where it was burned out in the fire of 1871. It later moved to the West Side, claiming to have operated the first power press on the west side of Chicago.

SOROSIS, 1868–1869+: A weekly, devoted to woman's rights. Mrs. M. L. Walker and Company were editors and publishers in 1869. This paper was absorbed by the *Chicagoan*, which continued as the *Universe*, June, 1869.

SUNDAY SCHOOL MESSENGER, January, 1868 to date: A weekly paper edited and published by Rev. Andrew L. O'Neill, January, 1868–August, 1901; Rev. James J. Curran, September 1901–August, 1904; Rev. John J. Masterson, August, 1904 to date.

SUNDAY SCHOOL SCHOLAR, 1868–1873+: A young people's educational monthly. Selim H. Peabody was editor; Adams, Blackmer, and Lyon were publishers. The name became

SCHOLAR, +1873–1876: Publication was continued until 1876 when, upon the establishment of *St. Nicholas* in New York, the *Scholar* was bought by the St. Nicholas Company. **H**

WESTERN AGRICULTURIST AND LIVE STOCK JOURNAL, 1868 to date. (See Quincy.) **H**

WESTERN BOOK SELLER, 1868 to date (1870): A monthly devoted to the interests of booksellers and publishers. The Western News Company were editors and publishers, 1868–1870. **H**

WESTERN CATHOLIC, 1868 to date (1881): Issued weekly and devoted to Catholic interests. David Barry and Company were editors and publishers in 1870. Dee and Company were editors and publishers, 1871–1873. The name of William Mackay Lomasney also appears as editor in 1873. The Western Catholic Publishing and Printing Company were proprietors in 1874–1875. Cornelius J. Coffey and Company were publishers and proprietors, and J. R. Coffey was manager, 1876–1880. In 1872 the paper was dated for Detroit and Chicago. It was Democratic in politics.

CHICAGO WESTERN HOME, 1868–1871+: Issued monthly; a magazine of the "family story" type. The editors and publishers were: A. Parkhurst and Company, publishers, 1869; Stoddard and Parkhurst, 1870; Edward P. Fenn, editor, Western Home Company, publishers, 1871; Western Home Company, editors and publishers, 1875. The *Chicago Western Home* was destroyed in the great fire, but was apparently revived in 1874 as

WESTERN HOME, +1874–1875: Publication was continued to 1875. A. Chisholm was publisher in that year. No. 1 of vol. 2, July, 1869, contains a contribution from Harriet Beecher Stowe, and announces Mrs. Stowe and Robert Collyer as regular contributors. **H**

WESTERN POSTAL RECORD, 1868 to date (1881): A monthly devoted to postal interests. J. S. Elwell was editor, and the Western Record Printing Company were publishers, 1872–1874. P. C. Russell was editor and publisher, 1875–1881. **C**

ADVANCE GUARD, ——(?)–1869+: This weekly paper was mentioned in the directory for 1869. It was absorbed by the *Chicagoan*, which continued as the *Universe*, June, 1869.

ADVOCATE OF PEACE, 1869 to date (1874): Monthly. The American Peace Society, editors and publishers. Dated at Boston and Chicago.

AGITATOR, 1869(?)– ——(?): Mentioned in the directory of 1869 as a woman's periodical.

ART JOURNAL AND AGITATOR, 1869–1870(?): Mentioned in the directory for 1869–1870. May have been the successor of *Agitator* mentioned in the directory next preceding.

BANNER, 1869 to date (1885): A weekly paper, published in 1885 by Frank E. Stanley. Found in Rowell for 1884 with 1869 given as date of establishment. **H**

BAPTIST QUARTERLY, 1869(?) to date (1870): Published by the American Baptist Publishing Society.

BRIGHT SIDE, 1869–1872+: John B. Alden was editor; Alden and True, publishers. In 1871 it was published by the Bright Side Company in weekly, semi-monthly, and monthly editions. The following year, with a change of editor, the name was changed to

BRIGHT SIDE AND FAMILY CIRCLE, +1872 to date (1873): C. G. G. Paine was editor in 1872 and 1873. The Bright Side Company continued as publishers. Only a monthly edition is listed for these years.

BRITISH MAIL, 1869(?)– ——(?): Monthly. In the directory for 1869.

BUREAU, 1869 to date (1872): A commercial monthly. A. Armstrong was editor and publisher in 1870. In 1871 and 1872 Mr. Armstrong was business manager, C. W. Jenks was editor, and the Bureau Publishing Company were publishers. HJW

COLLEGE TIMES, 1869 to date (1871): A college monthly. Edited and published by the students of the University of Chicago.

DAILY COMMERCIAL BULLETIN, 1869–1886+: A commercial daily paper which, in 1881, was also listed as a weekly. J. W. Sickels was editor, and B. D. M. Eaton was publisher, in 1870. The next year B. Frank Howard was editor; Howard, White, and Crowell were publishers. James A. Doane was editor and publisher in 1880. In 1886 the *Daily Commercial Bulletin*, published by Howard Bartels and Company, became the *Daily Trade Bulletin*.

DRUGGISTS' PRICE CURRENT, 1869 to date (1872): A medical and chemical monthly. H. D. Garrison, M.D., and A. F. Murray were editors, and Barnet and Son publishers in 1871. The following year Dr. Garrison was editor; James and Barnet were publishers.

EVENING LAMP, 1869 to date (1905): Established by A. N. Kellogg. It is a weekly sheet, devoted to literary miscellany and to advertising, printed from the best plate matter of the A. N. Kellogg Newspaper Company. In 1870 and 1871 A. N. Kellogg was editor and publisher. From 1873 to 1879 J. M. Edson was editor. With various editors A. N. Kellogg or the A. N. Kellogg Company has continued the publication. U

EVERYBODY'S PAPER, 1869 to date (1879): A monthly evangelical Sunday-school paper. The Chicago Y. M. C. A. were editors in 1873, and F. H. Revell was publisher. For the four years following the Chicago Y. M. C. A. were publishers, and J. M. Chapman was business manager. In 1879 the Evangelical Publishing Company were publishers and F. E. Post was manager. The paper was listed as semi-monthly in that year.

FORTSCHRITTS FREUND, 1869(?)–——(?): In the directory for 1869.

HOMEOPATH JOURNAL, 1869(?)–——(?): Listed in Rowell for 1869, with no report.

INDEPENDENT, 1869 to date (1870): John E. Tansey was manager; the Independent Company were publishers in 1870.

IRISH SENTINEL, 1869(?): James C. Flynn and Company were editors and publishers.

LADIES' OWN MAGAZINE, 1869 to date (1874): A monthly, devoted to women's interests. Mrs. M. Cora Bland was editor and publisher in 1873. In 1874 Mrs. Bland was editor; M. C. Bland and Company were publishers.

LAND OWNER, 1869 to date (1880): A monthly publication, "devoted exclusively to the landed interests of the country." It was a weekly in 1875 but became a monthly again in 1876 and continued so. J. M. Wing and Company were publishers throughout its existence. **HC**

LATERNE, 1869(?)–——(?): A German paper, listed in Rowell for 1869. Von Hollen was editor and publisher.

LAW MANUAL, 1869(?)–——(?): Listed in Rowell for 1869, with no report.

LEGAL NEWS, October 3, 1869 to date: A weekly paper devoted to legal interests. Myra Bradwell was the founder and was editor at the beginning, and for twenty-five years. She was succeeded by J. B. Bradwell in 1894, and the Chicago Legal News Company were publishers. For several years J. B. Bradwell and B. B. Helmer were editors. Since the death of J. B. Bradwell in November, 1907, B. Bradwell Helmer has been the editor. The Chicago Legal News Company are still publishers. **HCSUN**

LIFE BOAT, 1869 to date (1871): Edited and published in 1871 by E. C. Eggleston and John W. Dean.

LITTLE FOLKS, 1869–1877: This was advertised as a monthly of "illustrated juvenile literature," and was one of several that sprang up in imitation of the *Little Corporal*. The Adams, Blackmer, and Lyon Publishing Company were publishers.

LUTHERISCHE KIRCHENFREUND, 1869 to date (1881): A German Lutheran publication. It changed from a semi-monthly to a monthly between 1879 and 1881. Rev. J. D. Severinghaus was editor and publisher in 1876. In 1877 and 1880 Rev. J. D. Severinghaus was editor; Severinghaus and Company were publishers.

MACEDONIAN AND RECORD, 1869(?) to date (1871): A monthly, published by the American Baptist Missionary Union and Home Mission Society.

MATRIMONIAL BAZAR, 1869 to date (1876): Monthly. B. H. Burtin and Company were editors and publishers, 1875–1876.

MATRIMONIAL NEWS AND SPECIAL ADVERTISER, 1869(?) to date (1879): This paper is listed in the directory for 1873 as *Matrimonial News*, a bi-weekly publication, with the Matrimonial News Company as editors and publishers. It is mentioned in 1877 as "the only paper of its kind in America." It was a monthly advertising sheet in 1879. C. G. Horton was then editor and C. G. Horton and Company were publishers. **D**

MEDICAL TIMES, January, 1869 to date (1907): "A monthly journal devoted to the interests of eclectic medicine and surgery."

The editors and publishers are as follows: John Forman, M.D., and R. A. Gunn, M.D., editors, and John Gunn, publisher, 1870; R. A. Gunn, M.D., and John E. Hurlbut, M.D., editors and, publishers, 1871; H. D. Garrison, M.D., editor and publisher, 1872; Anson L. Clark, M.D., and H. D. Garrison, M.D., editors, and H. D. Garrison, M.D., publisher, 1874–1875; Anson L. Clark and H. D. Garrison, editors and publishers, 1875–1877; W. H. Davis, M.D., editor and publisher, 1879; W. H. Davis and Anson L. Clark, editors, and W. H. Davis, publisher, 1880; Wilson H. Davis, editor and publisher, 1881–1884; Anson L. Clark and Henry S. Tucker, editors, Henry S. Tucker publisher, 1885; Finley Ellingwood, M.D., was editor and publisher in 1907. J

Missionary Advocate, 1869(?) to date (1870): Semi-monthly in 1870.

Monitor, 1869 to date (1870): Monthly. Louis, Lloyd, and Company were editors and publishers in 1870. Not the paper now issued weekly under the same name.

National Baptist, 1869(?) to date (1871): The American Baptist Publishing Society were publishers, 1869–1871.

Pokrok, 1869(?)–——(?): A Bohemian monthly paper.

Railroad and Merchants' Journal, ——(?) to date (1869): Monthly. Listed in 1869, with no report.

Spectator, 1869(?) to date (1880): "An American review of insurance," owned and published by J. H. and C. M. Goodrell, 1870–1873. Samuel Elliott was manager in 1874; Charles N. Bishop, 1878–1879; and William F. Fox, 1880.

Spiritual Rostrum, ——(?) to date (1869): Listed with no report.

Sun, 1869 to date: Under this general name H. L. Goodall, and later the Drovers' Journal Publishing Company issued a group and a series of daily papers for the South Side and the Stock Yards. The same paper, or contemporaneous issues, was variously uttered as: *Hyde Park Daily Sun*, *Lake Sun*, *Lake Daily Sun*, *Lake View Sun*, *Union Stock Yards Daily Sun*, *Dollar Weekly Sun*, 1875, *Dollar Sun*, 1876–1877, *Cicero Sun*, 1876–1877, *Maine Sun*, 1877, *Thornton Sun*, 1877, *Calumet Sun*, 1876–1877, *Cook County Sun*, 1869–1877, *Jefferson Sun*, 1876–1877, and finally *South Side Daily Sun*. H. L. Goodall was editor and publisher until 1872, when H. P. Goodall became associated with H. L. Goodall in the editorial work. In 1874 J. Mahoney was named as publisher. In 1878 H. L. Goodall and Company were publishing *Drovers' Journal*, *Lake Daily Sun*, and *Hyde Park Daily Sun*. The present successor to them all, except

Drovers' Journal, is *South Side Daily Sun*, which was edited by H. L. Goodall until his death in March, 1900, after which time it was edited by E. F. Goodall, and published by Drovers' Journal Publishing Company until about May, 1909, when the *Sun* was sold to F. D. Hanna. Republican. H

TEACHERS' GOLDEN HOUR, 1869 to date (1871): Issued monthly. Tomlinson Brothers were editors and publishers, 1870–1871.

TEMPERANCE STANDARD, ——(?) to date (1869): Listed in 1869, with no report.

WEST CHICAGO BANNER, 1869 to date (1881): A paper devoted to local interests. Probably the same paper as *Banner*, listed above.

WESTERN MONTHLY, January, 1869–December, 1870+: Established by H. V. Reed. It was "intended to be purely an institution of the West . . . " and was expected to "explore the fields of literature and gather the ripe fruits of . . . pioneer talent." After a few months Francis Fisher Browne purchased an interest and joined Mr. Reed in conducting the magazine. Upon Mr. Reed's withdrawal after a time, Mr. Browne became sole director. Under his direction the tone of the magazine became more purely literary than it had been, and the narrow, provincial title, "*Western Monthly*," was exchanged for one which, without losing the flavor of locality, would "connote a wide interest in the esthetic,"— the *Lakeside Monthly*. HS

LAKESIDE MONTHLY, +January, 1871–February, 1874: With increased influence and reputation under its new name, which replaced that of *Western Monthly*, and under the skilful editorial direction of Francis Fisher Browne, the magazine became the nucleus of a large printing and publishing house. This was the Lakeside Publishing and Printing Company, successor to the magazine company that had issued the *Western Monthly*, and of the printing firm of Church, Goodman, and Donnelley. The success of the *Lakeside*, which retained a decidedly western character, did much to destroy the indifference that eastern publishers had shown toward western subjects and western literary activity, an indifference that nettled Illinois and western literary editors from James Hall down. "With the advent of the *Lakeside*," says Mr. Fleming, "*Scribner's Monthly*, the forerunner of the present *Century*, began to give attention to western subjects, and to seek the work of western writers. During the years of the *Lakeside's* growth other eastern publishers began to glean in Mid-West fields, and the competition among them for the virile western productions, which has since become so keen, was fairly on by the time the magazine had reached the zenith of its

career." Mr. Browne, sole proprietor and editor, broke down in the spring of 1874, and the magazine suspended publication with the February number. SCH

WESTERN SUNDAY REVIEW, 1869 to date (1870): A literary paper. George R. Norton was editor and publisher in 1870.

YOUNG REAPER, 1869(?) to date (1870): Published semi-monthly by the American Baptist Publishing Society.

ZEICHEN DER ZEIT, 1869–——(?). C

AGERDYRKNING AND OECONOMIE, 1870(?) to date (1871): Scandinavian. Barthene and Rene are given as publishers in the Chicago city directories for 1870 and 1871.

AMERICAN CABINET MAKER, UPHOLSTERER AND CARPET REPORTER, 1870 to date (1881): A trade paper, published in Boston, with branch offices in Chicago, Cincinnati, Philadelphia, and New York. J. Henry Symonds was editor and publisher in 1876, and in 1880.

L'AMÉRIQUE, 1870(?)–——(?): A French semi-weekly publication. In 1870, Gueroult and Pinta were publishers.

ART REVIEW, April, 1870 to date (1872): Monthly. Devoted to art, music, and literature. E. H. Trafton was editor and publisher until May, 1871, when J. J. Ormand bought the publication and became publisher. Trafton continued as editor.

ARTS, 1870 to date (1874): Monthly. Published and edited by Joseph M. Hirsh and Company.

BENCH AND BAR, 1870–1874(?): A monthly legal publication, edited by James A. L. Whittier; published by Callaghan and Company. File in library of Chicago Law Institute.

BOARD OF TRADE REPORT, 1870(?)–——(?): Published by Joel Henry Wells.

CHRISTIAN FREEMAN, 1867 to date (1871): A Free-will Baptist paper. F. W. Dunn was editor and A. H. Chase publisher in 1869. The Christian Freeman Association were editors and publishers in 1871.

COLLECTOR, 1870(?)–——(?): Morse, Hanna, and Company were publishers in 1870.

COMMERCIAL REPORTER, 1870 to date (1871): A commercial weekly. The editors and publishers in 1871 were T. G. Wilcox and Company.

DAGSLYSET, 1870(?) to date (1874): Organ of the Scandinavian Freethinkers' Society. Marc Thrane was editor and proprietor.

SUNDAY DEMOCRAT, June 5–July 3, 1870: A short-lived publication edited and published by George W. Rust. It was established with the idea of beginning a daily as soon as its peculiar ideas had made a place for themselves. The paper was a reactionary against all of the ideals and results for which the North fought, and which it accomplished in the Civil War. H

DETECTOR, 1870(?) to date (1871): Burrows and Lunt were proprietors in 1870; Lunt, Tisher, and Company, publishers in 1871.

DEUTSCHE ARBEITER, 1870: A short-lived German Union paper published by the German Central Union of the Workingmen.

DISPATCH, 1870(?): Mentioned only in the directory for 1870–1871. Culver, Harris, and Wilson were publishers.

DRY GOODS PRICE LIST, 1870–1880(?): A commercial paper established by August C. Schooley and edited and published by him until 1879, after which date he was succeeded by J. C. W. Bailey.

EXAMINER, 1870 to date (1871): An evangelical monthly. It was edited in 1871 by Rev. Edward C. Towne; published by the Western News Company.

FAMILY CIRCLE, 1870–1871+: A semi-monthly magazine of family life. C. H. Cushing was editor and publisher in 1870. In 1871 C. G. G. Paine, A.M., was editor, C. H. Cushing, publisher. The paper was merged, 1871, with *Bright Side*.

GOLDEN HOURS, 1870(?) to date (1873): Monthly. J. W. Wiley was editor in 1870. Hitchcock and Walden were publishers, 1872–1873.

HERALD, 1870–May 1, 1877+: An insurance monthly. Powell and Steele were editors and publishers in 1871; George I. Yeager, 1872–1873; Yeager and S. H. Davis, 1874; George I. Yeager, 1875; Yeager and Ormsbee, 1876; Charles E. Rollins, 1877. In 1872 the *Herald* was both weekly and monthly. Name was changed to W

ARGUS, +May 1, 1877 to date: An insurance monthly, formerly the *Herald*. Charles E. Rollins was editor and publisher until December, 1877, then editor and manager to 1886, and manager to October, 1908. Since December, 1877, the Rollins Publishing Company have been publishers. Since 1886 the editors have been: J. H. Kellogg, 1887; Charles A. Hewitt, 1888–1891; F. C. Oviatt, 1892–1895; A. H. Huling, 1896–1899; C. F. Howell, 1900; P. J. V. McKian, 1901–1904; T. W. Dealy, 1905–1908; P. J. V. McKian, the present editor, 1909. HC

HOME JOURNAL, 1870 to date (1871): A monthly, devoted to literature. J. H. Bascom was editor and publisher.

ILLINOIS VOLKS-ZEITUNG, 1870(?) to date (1872): A German paper, published daily and weekly by the German Printing Company. This company were editors and publishers, 1870–1872.

INTERIOR, 1870 to date: A Presbyterian weekly. Established by Hon. R. B. Mason, with Rev. Arthur Swazey, D.D., and Rev. C. Van Stantvoord, D.D., as editors. W. S. Mills was publisher. In 1871 William C. Gray became publisher, without a change of editors, and the paper was published for one year at Cincinnati. In 1872 Rev. Arthur Swazey and W. C. Gray were editors and publishers. The next year, Dwight and Trowling were editors and publishers. They sold to Cyrus H. McCormick, who began publishing the paper in 1873, and continued it until 1883, when he sold a half interest to Mr. Gray. The editors were: W. C. Gray and Francis L. Patton, 1874; Francis L. Patton and Charles L. Thompson, 1875; W. C. Gray and Charles L. Thompson, 1876; W. C. Gray, 1877–1886(?). In 1907 McCormick and Company were publishers. **HAE**

LANDWIRTH UND HAUSFREUND, 1870 to date (1871): A German paper, devoted to agriculture. Carl Kron was editor; J. A. Jensch, publisher.

LEEDLE VANDERER, 1870 to date (1876?): A comic monthly, edited and published by C. F. Harris. "Carl Pretzel." "No. 1 Book" for the year 1876(?) is in the library of the Chicago Historical Society. **H**

LITTLE CORPORAL'S SCHOOL FESTIVAL, January, 1870 to date (1873): A quarterly magazine devoted to furnishing material for school festivals, entertainments, dialogues, recitations, etc. Listed also as *School Festival*. Edited and published by Alfred L. Sewell in 1870; Sewell and Miller, 1871; Alfred L. Sewell and Company, 1872–1873. **H**

LITTLE WATCHMAN, 1870 to date (1872): L. H. Dowling was editor; W. W. Dowling, publisher, 1871–1872. The paper was semi-monthly in 1871, weekly and monthly in 1872.

CHICAGO MAGAZINE OF FASHION, MUSIC, AND HOME READING, 1870 to date (1876): Monthly. It was the first of several Chicago periodicals designed to couple an interest in esthetic writing with the esthetic interest in dress. The magazine was created by a group of fashionable women. Mrs. M. L. Rayne was editor and proprietor for the first four years. After that the editors, publishers and proprietors to 1876 are given as Mrs. M. L. Rayne and Company. The name of Mrs. C. H. Church appears as an editor in 1875. **H**

EVENING MAIL, August 18, 1870–1873+: Daily except Sundays. The Chicago Evening Mail Company were editors and publishers. Late in 1873 the *Mail* was united with the *Evening Post* to form the *Post and Mail*. The first appearance of the paper under the new name was in January, 1874. (See *Post*.)

METHODIST QUARTERLY REVIEW, 1870(?)–——(?): Edited by D. D. Whedon.

MISSIONAREN, 1870 to date (1873): A Swedish monthly, edited by E. Norelius in 1871. Rev. J. P. Nyquist was editor, and the Swedish Lutheran Publishing Society were publishers in 1872. In 1873, Rev. J. P. Nyquist was editor and publisher.

MISSIONÄREN, 1870–1877+: Published by the Norwegian and Danish Methodists. The editors were: Rev. A. Haagensen, Rev. J. H. Johnson, and Rev. K. Schon. In 1877 the name of the paper became

KRISTELIGE TALSMAND, +1877 to date: A successor to the *Missionären*, published by the Norwegian and Danish Methodists. Under the new name the editors have been: Rev. Christian Treider, 1876–1880; Rev. A. Haagensen, 1880–1884; Christian Treider, 1884–1891; A. Haagensen, 1891–1897; C. F. Eltzholtz, 1897–1905; H. P. Bergh, 1905 to date. *Kristelige Talsmand* and *Hyrdestemmen* are the official organs of the Norwegian-Danish Methodist Episcopal Church. Files are available at 272 Grand avenue, Chicago.

NATIONAL LIVE STOCK JOURNAL, September 18, 1870 to date (1888?): A monthly devoted to live stock interests. John P. Reynolds was editor and George W. Rust and Company were publishers, 1871–1872. George W. Rust and Company were editors and publishers, 1873–1875. J. H. Sanders was editor till 1882, and the Stock Journal Company were publishers, 1876–——. A weekly edition in addition to the monthly was begun January, 1885. **WJUH**

OBSERVER, 1870(?)–——(?): A monthly, devoted to banking, insurance, and railway interests. J. Clement was publisher and proprietor in 1870.

OUR FOLKS AT HOME, 1870–——(?): A monthly literary paper. Fred D. Carson was editor and publisher.

PRESS, October, 1870–October 1871+: Quarterly. Horton and Leonard were editors and publishers until the fire of October, 1871. The *Press* was then suspended. It was succeeded in 1872 by *Illustrated Journal* (q.v.) and that paper, then a monthly, apparently was in 1874 renamed *Illustrated Press*. It was then published by Horton and Landon. **H**

ILLUSTRATED JOURNAL, +November, 1872–1874+: Bi-monthly. Knight and Leonard were editors and publishers in 1872; Horton and Leonard in 1873. The following year the American Publishing Company were publishers, and Thomas G. Newman was business manager. The *Illustrated Journal* was a revival of the *Press*, burned out in the fire of October, 1871, and was sent to fill out terms of such subscribers to the *Press* as gave their names and the unexpired subscription terms. It was apparently succeeded by *Illustrated Press* (redivivus), at some time after 1874. Not mentioned after 1876. H

PUBLISHERS' AUXILIARY, 1870 (?) to date (1873): Issued weekly. A. N. Kellogg was publisher, 1870–1873.

THE RAY, October, 1870–(after 1872): Monthly. Published in the interest of the Union Park Baptist Church, and distributed gratuitously. H

SCHOOLMASTER, +July, 1870–June, 1871+: Monthly. Established at Bloomington by John Hull in 1868. Removed to Chicago with the number for July, 1870. John Hull was publisher, Hull and Albert Stetson of Illinois Normal University were editors. When the place of publication was changed Albert Stetson and I. S. Baker became editors. Chicago influence seems to have grown, and at the beginning of 1871 the name was changed to Chicago *Schoolmaster*, with I. S. Baker as editor, and the Schoolmaster Company publishers, Chicago and Normal. John Hull and Company were still publishers, however. Aaron Gove succeeded Baker as editor with the number for June, 1871, the Schoolmaster Company (Aaron Gove and E. C. Hewitt) became publishers, and Chicago and Normal appeared on the cover, though Normal was the place of publication. February, 1873, Chicago *Schoolmaster* and *Illinois Teacher* were merged as *Illinois Schoolmaster*, and continued by Gove and Hewett at Normal. H

SMAX MONEY MAKER'S JOURNAL, 1870: An advertising sheet. R. W. Chappell was editor and publisher.

SUNDAY SCHOOL HELPER, 1870 to date (1872): A Universalist paper, published monthly. S. A. Briggs was editor, and the Northwestern Universalist Publishing House were publishers, 1870–1872.

SUNDAY SCHOOL WORLD, 1870(?)– ——(?): A monthly, published by the American Sunday School Union.

UNION PARK ADVOCATE, 1870 to date (1877): A weekly local advertising sheet. C. E. Crandall was editor and publisher, 1875–1877.

UNION PARK BANNER, 1870 to date (1880): An advertising sheet published at West Chicago by E. M. Turner and Company. D. S. Crandall was proprietor in 1876, and Turner and Lloyd owned the paper in 1880. H

WEST CHICAGO, 1870 to date (1875): Weekly. The West Chicago Company were editors and publishers in 1875.

WEST END ADVOCATE, 1870 to date (1881): A weekly, devoted to local interests, especially to the business of West Division. Charles E. Crandall was editor and publisher, 1878–1880. It was dated for West Chicago in 1878. H

WESTLICHE ODD FELLOW, 1870, to date (1871): A German monthly devoted to I. O. O. F. J. B. Wing and Company were editors and publishers, 1870–1871.

WORLD MAGAZINE, 1870–1893: An illustrated magazine devoted to society and drama, containing stories, sketches, poems, and humorous articles. The Chicago World Publishing Company, or World Society, were publishers in 1883–1884. This paper is listed in Rowell, 1884–1885. H

YOUNG FOLKS' MONTHLY, 1870 to date (1883): An illustrated juvenile literary paper containing matter "best calculated to amuse and instruct the young." H. N. F. Lewis was editor and publisher in 1875–1876. In 1876 Gerrit L. Hoodless was proprietor. Mrs. Annie R. White was editor, and Milton George, publisher, 1878–1880. C

YOUNG FOLKS' RURAL, 1870 to date (1881): A juvenile literary paper, issued monthly. H. N. F. Lewis was editor and publisher, 1871–1878. J. D. Tallmadge was editor and publisher, 1879–1880. HC

YOUNG PILOT, 1870 to date (1871): Monthly. The Young Pilot Publishing Company were editors and publishers in 1871. Franklin H. Tinker was associated with the paper at this time.

ADVERTISER'S ASSISTANT, 1871 to date (1872): Monthly. Cook, Coburn, and Company, editors and publishers.

AMATEUR MONTHLY, July, 1871–February, 1872+: An amateur paper, established by Charles C. Hoyt and Will E. Gard. The name was changed February, 1872, to

OUR YOUTH, +February, 1872–——(?): An amateur paper, a continuation of *Amateur Monthly*, issued by Charles C. Hoyt and Will E. Gard.

AMERICANISCHER FARMER, 1871 to date (1874): A German weekly. Julius Silversmith was editor; the Cosmopolitan Publishing Company were publishers. Listed in 1874 as *Amerik Farmer*.

BAPTIST UNION, 1871 to date (1875): A Baptist paper. In 1871, Rev. G. H. Ball, D.D., and Rev. J. B. Drew, D.D., were editors; the Baptist Printing Union, publishers. In 1872, Rev. Dr. Drew was succeeded by Rev. S. W. Whitney. The same editors and publishers continued until 1874, when E. W. Page became publisher. In 1875 Dr. Ball alone was editor; Mr. Page was still publisher. The paper was dated at New York and Chicago.

CHILD'S PAPER, 1871: Burned out in the Chicago fire and not revived.

CHILD'S WORLD, 1871: A juvenile publication which soon disappeared.

COMMERCIAL ENTERPRISE, 1871 to date (1875): A commercial weekly. It was published in 1875 by the Commercial Enterprise Publishing Company.

COSMOPOLITE, 1871(?) to date (1873): Mentioned only in the directory for 1873. J. Silversmith was editor and manager. The paper was burned out in the great fire, but later revived.

DAHEIM, 1871 (1870?) to date: German. The Sunday edition of the *Freie Presse* (q.v.). In 1876 R. Michaelis was editor; the German American Publishing Company were publishers. *Daheim* was still published as the Sunday edition of the *Freie Presse* in 1899. By 1907, however, it was published with the *Westen* as the Sunday edition of the *Illinois Staats-Zeitung*, under the title of *Westen und Daheim*. Both the *Daheim* and the *Westen und Daheim* have been Republican in politics. **U**

DEMOCRAT, 1871 to date (1881): In 1871 H. S. Knapp was editor; in 1872 J. A. Daniels was editor, the Democrat Company were publishers; in 1876, Mr. Daniels was editor, and Daniels and Company were publishers; in 1880, Mr. Daniels was both editor and publisher. **HU**

DRY GOODS REPORTER, 1871 to date: A commercial paper devoted to dry goods and allied lines. C. W. Spofford was editor in 1907 and is now editor-in-chief, and president and treasurer of the corporation. Frank McElwain is managing editor. The Dry Goods Reporter Company were given as publishers in 1907.

FINANCIER, 1871 to date (1874): A weekly, devoted to finance. Published in New York in 1873, by the Financier Company, and dated for New York and Chicago. Published in 1874 by W. H. Boardman.

FOUNDLINGS' RECORD, 1871–1876+: A monthly, published in the interests of the Chicago Foundlings' Home. Edited by George E. Shipman. It was changed to **C**

FAITH'S RECORD, +1876–1884(?): and continued publication as before. **HC**

FREIE PRESSE, July, 1871–1874+: Established as a political weekly by Richard Michaelis. In 1872 a daily edition was begun, "Liberal Republican" in politics, which supported Greeley. After Greeley's defeat it became straight Republican and has so remained. For a time in 1873 H. Bender was associated as editor, but otherwise Michaelis was editor alone from its beginning. It was published by the Freie Presse Printing Company. The paper has had several minor changes of name. In 1874 it was changed to **N**

CHICAGOER FREIE PRESSE, +1874+: and in December of the same year to

CHICAGOER NEUE FREIE PRESSE, +December, 1874–1883+: R. Michaelis continued as editor. The German American Publishing Company were publishers in 1876, and until April, 1901, when *Freie Presse* was sold to the Illinois Publishing Company. Richard Michaelis became half owner and general manager. In August, 1905, he sold his holding to his son, Walter R. Michaelis, who was elected general manager, and Horace L. Brand, who was made secretary and treasurer. W. R. Michaelis and H. R. Brand are present sole owners of the paper. The *Freie Presse* started as a daily, with a Sunday edition, *Daheim* (which see). After 1871 the paper was published daily, weekly, and Sundays. The weekly *Freie Presse* in 1907 issued an edition for country circulation called *Sonntagsbote*. At some time between 1899 and 1907 *Daheim* ceased to be the Sunday edition of the *Freie Presse*, and with *Westen*, became that of the *Illinois Staats-Zeitung*. **NUC**

HAPPY HOURS, 1871–——(?): A literary paper; M. A. Fuller was editor and publisher.

HEAVENLY TIDINGS, 1871(?)–1872(?): An organ of the Y. M. C. A., which was its publishers.

INDEPENDENT TRADE REGISTER, 1871(?): Lunt, Tisher, and Company were publishers.

JUSTITIA, March–October, 1871: Swedish. Isidor Kjellberg was editor and publisher.

LEDGER, 1871(?): Basset Brothers were publishers.

LITTLE MEN, 1871(?)–1872+: An amateur paper, consolidated with *Our Boys* about 1872.

LORGNETTE, 1871–——(?): "The official amusement organ of Crosby Opera House, Aiken's Museum, Globe Theatre and Farwell Hall." **H**

MERCANTILE JOURNAL AND WEEKLY PRICE CURRENT, April 13, 1871–——(?): A paper owned and published by Jefferson and Wroe in 1871.

MOTHER'S JOURNAL, ——(?) to date (1871): A monthly "devoted to the advancement of science, literature, morality and religion." Mrs. Mary G. Clarke was editor; J. N. Clarke, publisher. H

CHICAGO NATIONAL, 1871 to date (1874): A monthly devoted primarily to insurance interests. In 1874 it was listed as a literary magazine. The National Life Insurance Company were the original editors and publishers. In 1873 John H. Holmes was editor. W. C. Cockson was editor in 1874, and H. G. Teed was business manager. It appears to have been weekly for a time in 1874.

NATIONAL CAR BUILDER, 1870–1881+: A monthly devoted to mechanics. It was dated from New York and Chicago. In 1876 James Gillett was editor and Vose Dinsmore and Company were publishers. James Gillett was editor also in 1879, but the publishing firm was Gillett and Dinsmore. After 1881, the paper was dated from New York only. Later became *National Car and Locomotive Builder*, and in 1896 was merged in the *American Engineer and Railroad Journal*.

NEWSPAPER UNION, 1871 to date (1878): A sheet published by The Chicago Newspaper Union, 1871–1875. It was listed as a co-operative advertising sheet. C. E. Strong was manager in 1873. In 1876 Andrew J. Aiken was president and C. E. Strong manager. S. H. Williams was editor in 1877.

NYA VERLDEN, +January, 1871–1876+: Moved to Chicago from Galva, where it had been established inJanuary, 1869, as *Illinois Swede* by Eric Johnson, son of the founder of Bishop Hill colony. It was printed in Swedish and English. Andrew Chaiser and C. F. Peterson became partners, and the name was changed to *Nya Verlden*, published only in Swedish. In Chicago P. A. Sundelius became co-editor with Peterson; Johnson soon sold his interest to Chaiser. After the fire the paper was published in Galesburg until March, 1872. Herman Roos became associate editor with Peterson in 1873. In 1876 the paper was turned over to the Swedish Publishing Company, which combined *Svenska Americanaren* with *Nya Verlden* and began *Svenska Tribunen*. U

OUR BOYS, 1871(?) to date (1873): An amateur paper established by Charles S. Diehl and Fred K. Morrill. This paper was

burned out in the fire, but was revived. It absorbed *Little Men* about 1872. In that year C. C. Hoyt was editor; Diehl and Fowler were publishers in 1873.

PEOPLE'S WEEKLY, 1871–1883: An illustrated paper published by Rand, McNally, and Company.

PHENIX, 1871 to date: A weekly newspaper devoted to local interests. M. A. Fuller was editor and publisher in 1872. In 1907 Frank E. Stanley was editor and publisher. He died in October, 1908, and publication was suspended until March, 1909, when the paper was bought by the Phenix Publishing Company, E. J. Harvey, president. In Ayer for 1908 the date of founding had receded to 1869. Republican.

RESTITUTION, +1871 to date (1874): Thomas Wilson was editor and publisher in 1871. In 1873–1874 Thomas Wilson was editor, and Wilson, Pierce, and Company were publishers. It was known as the organ of Servants of Jesus Christ in 1872, and as the organ of Marturions in 1873. This was evidently a continuation or a successor of *Herald of the Coming Kingdom and Christian Instructor.*

SUNDAY SCHOOL MIRROR, 1871–1904: Edited and published by Rev. Andrew L. O'Neill from 1872 to 1901, on the second and fourth Sundays of each month; on the alternate Sundays it was called *Sunday School Companion.*

TAILOR'S INTELLIGENCER, 1871 to date (1874): Issued monthly. Salisbury Brothers and Company were editors and publishers in 1873. Wilber S. Salisbury was proprietor in 1874.

UNGDOMS VÄNNEN, 1871(?) to date (1881): Given in 1881 as a Scandinavian literary paper, published semi-monthly. A monthly of this name was published by the *Hemlandet* people from 1871 to 1881. It was devoted to the interests of young people.

YOUNG HERO, 1871(?)–1872+: An amateur paper, consolidated with *Our Youth* about 1872. It had been burned out in the great fire, but apparently revived.

YOUNG MESSENGER, January, 1871–1872(?)+: Issued monthly. Walter T. Dwight was editor and publisher in 1871. It was consolidated with the *Wolverine Messenger* of Detroit, Michigan, about 1872.

YOUTH'S CABINET, 1871(?) to date (1872): An amateur monthly "devoted entirely to the interests of the American boy and girl." It was being edited in 1872 by John L. Whelan, and published by Whelan Brothers. In had been burned out in 1871, but was apparently revived.

BALANCE, 1872 to date (1877): A monthly, devoted to woman suffrage. Maria Hawley and Mary Tomlin were editors and publishers, 1872–1875. In 1876 the editors and publishers were Maria Hawley, Odelia Blinn, and Laura M. Hubbard.

BELL, 1872 to date (1875): A Baptist monthly. In 1875 it was edited by the Young People's Association of the Western Avenue Baptist Church; published by Guilbert and Clissold, then by H. R. Clissold.

BRIDAL BELLS, 1872 to date (1877): Semi-monthly. Edited and published in 1877 by Eugene T. Gilbert.

CARL PRETZEL'S MAGAZINE POOK, 1872–1874: A comic weekly, written in German-English lingo, dealing with matters of local interest. Mr. C. H. Harris, the editor and publisher, discontinued it in 1874 to establish the more ambitious *National Weekly*.

CHILD'S FRIEND, 1872 to date (1873): Juvenile. Monthly in 1872, semi-monthly in 1873. Edited by C. G. G. Paine, published by the Bright Side Publishing Company.

DIOCESE, March, 1872 to date (1874): A religious monthly. In 1873 Rev. John Wilkinson was editor, and George H. Marsland was publisher. Rev. J. F. Walker was editor in 1874; Bryant and Walker were publishers.

GROCERY AND DRUG PRICE LIST, 1872(?) to date (1879): A weekly commercial paper. A. C. Schooley was proprietor, 1872–1879.

HUMANE JOURNAL, May, 1872 to date: A monthly, devoted to "humane" propaganda. Albert W. Landon was editor and publisher, 1872–1874. E. M. Fuller and Albert W. Landon were publishers, 1875–1879. Upon the death of Mr. Landon in 1879, his widow, Martha J. Landon, became editor and publisher. In October, 1907, she sold the journal to Virginia M. Arford, who is now the editor, with Miss Vera K. Arford as assistant editor. The journal is printed by the Humane Journal Publishing Company of which F. Arford is the manager. H

INTER OCEAN, March 25, 1872 to date: Established as a daily and weekly by J. Young Scammon as the successor of the *Republican* (established in 1865 and burned out in the fire of 1871). The weekly edition was begun in 1884. E. W. Halford was its first editor and William Penn Nixon its first business manager. In 1873 Frank W. Palmer, Congressman from Iowa, purchased an interest and became editor. After the panic of 1875 the Inter Ocean Company was succeeded by the Inter Ocean Publishing Company, with William Penn Nixon and Dr. O. W. Nixon as

controlling stockholders, the former becoming editor and publisher. Managing editors of note in succession were Gilbert A. Pierce, William E. Curtis, and W. H. Busbey. In 1891H. H. Kohlsaat bought an interest and became publisher and business manager. In 1894 the Nixons repurchased Mr. Kohlsaat's interest. In 1897 Charles T. Yerkes purchased a controlling interest and George Wheeler Hinman became editor, Mr. Nixon continuing as publisher. In 1907 Mr. Hinman bought the controlling interest in the *Inter Ocean* and became editor and publisher. Republican—"the only Republican newspaper in Chicago." **WDNAUCHE**

KNEIP ZANGE, 1872 to date (1873): A German paper of which Miller and Wagner were editors and publishers in 1873.

LADIES' FRIEND AND SHOPPING GUIDE, 1872(?) to date (1875): Vol. 1, no. 1, of a new series is dated January 1, 1872, and entitled *Densmore's Lady's Friend.* The title *Ladies' Friend and Shopping Guide* apparently belonged to the old series. The newspaper directories for 1873–1875 give the paper as *Lady's Friend.* It appears to have been weekly in 1872, monthly, 1873–1875. In 1872 J. A. Densmore was editor, J. A. Densmore and Company were publishers, and Laura M. Hubbard was "fashion editress". The paper contained a literary department especially for ladies, essays on education, household management, art, music, etc. "It shall be our aim to influence for good the fair readers . . . and through them their husbands, fathers, sons and brothers." In 1873 and 1874 J. A. Densmore was editor and publisher. The Lady's Friend Publishing Company were editors and publishers in 1875. **H**

DAILY LAW BULLETIN, June 4, 1872–1900(?). **H**

LEDGER, 1872 to date: A literary and family magazine, published weekly. Although the "Ledger Company" is the name given to the firm of editors and publishers, Samuel H. Williams was really the editor for almost twenty years. W. Scott McComas was associated with him in 1880. In 1891 W. D. Boyce acquired the Chicago *Ledger*, and the W. D. Boyce Company have been editors and publishers to date. Begun in connection with a newspaper plate supply business and in imitation of the New York *Ledger*, in the first few years it made a feature of stories of a good class. Since the late seventies, however, it has deteriorated in literary tone. The sensational, although not immoral, character of the *Ledger* stories, and the use that the large mail-order houses have made of its advertising columns, have given this paper an unusually long life and extensive circulation.

LENS, 1872–1873: A quarterly journal of microscopy. Contains the transactions of the State Microscopical Society of Illinois. Edited by S. A. Briggs. **JCHU**

CHICAGO LIBRARIAN, November, 1872–August, 1873(?): Monthly, devoted to the library interests of the city. Especial attention was paid the public library then being reorganized and replenished; a monthly list of all new books received by the library was printed. In the first number was given a catalog of the "more prominent books" in the library of 1200 volumes at that time received. Perry, Morris, and Sultzer published the first number; J. W. Dean and Company the second; W. E. Day and Company the others. **CH**

LITERARY YOUTH, ——(?)–1872(?)+: An amateur publication continued as

GOLDEN MOMENTS, +1872(?)– ——(?): Monthly. An amateur paper, edited by Edward Everett Woodbury.

LOCOMOTIVE, 1872(?)– ——(?): An amateur monthly, edited and published by I. H. Preston in 1872.

MEDICAL REGISTER, 1872 to date (1885).

NATIONAL HOTEL REPORTER, 1872 to date: A commercial paper published daily except Sunday. Frank Glossop and Company were editors and publishers in 1873; Frank Glossop was editor and publisher in 1874–1875. Scott and Rice were editors and publishers in 1876–80. F. W. Rice was editor and publisher in 1907. It was listed as *Daily Hotel Reporter*, 1872–1873.

DAILY NEWS, March 7, 1872– ——(?): A daily and weekly Democratic paper, of which H. R. Whipple was business manager. It was apparently short lived, as no reference is made to it in the city directory or the newspaper directories for the next year. It was published by the Chicago News Printing Company **W**

OUR FIRESIDE FRIEND, January 27, 1872, to date (1875): A weekly literary magazine of the "family story" type. Waters, Evert, and Company were editors and publishers, 1873–1875; A. P. Miller was publisher in 1875. **A**

OUR FLAG, 1872(?)– ——(?): An amateur monthly paper, published by Elwell and Gowell.

OUTLOOK, 1872 to date (1873): A monthly literary publication. Selden Gibert was publisher and proprietor in 1873.

PICTORIAL ADVERTISER, 1872(?) to date (1877): This paper was owned by the Pictorial Advertiser Company, 1872–1873, and published by the Pictorial Printing Company in 1874. John McGreer was editor in 1877.

CHICAGO PULPIT, 1872–1873(?): A weekly publication of the ablest sermons by leading Chicago ministers. There were also included departments of church news, book notes, and comments on church affairs. The tone was strictly undenominational and uncontroversial. Sermons of especial value, but of a denominational or controvesial sort, were issued as extra numbers. Carpenter and Sheldon were publishers and proprietors. **SH**

RAILROAD MONTHLY, 1872 to date (1873): Story and Camp were editors and publishers in 1873.

RECORD, 1872 to date (1879): Monthly. H. V. Reed and C. Gardner were publishers, 1872–1873. In 1879 J. M. J. Gillespie was editor and proprietor.

RELIGIO POLITICO PARTY, 1872(?) to date (1873): Mrs. A. Buffum was editor, 1872–1873.

CHICAGO TEACHER, 1872 to date (1875): Issued monthly. Baker and Mahony were editors and publishers in 1873; Jeremiah Mahony, 1874; John W. Brown, 1875. **H**

VOLANTE, January 1, 1872 to date (1881): A monthly collegiate publication. The students of the University of Chicago were editors and publishers. **H**

WATCHMAKERS' MAGAZINE, November, 1872 to date (1873): Monthly. Edited by E. R. P. Shurley and published by the Horological Association. **H**

WHAT NEXT, 1872 to date (1874): A monthly. John B. Alden was editor and publisher, 1873–1874.

YOUNG AMERICA, 1872(?)–——(?): Amateur.

YOUNG CHICAGO, 1872(?)–——(?): An amateur monthly. It was being published in 1872 by Dicker and McLachlan.

YOUNG INDUSTRY, 1872(?)–——(?): An amateur monthly. It was being published in 1872 by H. E. Greenbaum.

YOUTH'S REPORTER, 1872(?)–——(?): An amateur monthly. It was being published in 1872 by E. E. Russell.

ADVOCATE, 1873 to date (1877): An insurance monthly. The Protection Life Insurance Company were publishers in 1874 and 1875. In 1876 and 1877 Martin Ryan was editor and publisher.

AGENTS' GUIDE, 1873 to date (1880): Monthly. James P. Scott was editor and publisher, 1875–1880.

CHICAGO ALLIANCE, December 13, 1873–March, 1882+: A nonsectarian weekly founded by a group of clergymen including Prof. David Swing, Rev. Robert Collyer, Dr. Hiram A. Thomas and others. With a slightly religious trend in its material, it was devoted in the main to literature, particularly that of the

essay form. In its beginning Rev. J. B. McClure was managing editor; the other editorial work was shared by all. But one by one the editors withdrew, before long leaving Prof. Swing as editor-in-chief and chief contributor. His weekly sermon-essay was the leading literary feature throughout the existence of the paper. In 1874 the Alliance Publishing Company was the name by which the group of editors and publishers was designated. In 1875 this company is named as publishers, while the list of editors given includes Prof. Swing, Rev. C. D. Helmer, H. W. Thomas, D.D., H. N. Powers, D.D., and Prof. William Mathews. H. L. Ensign was the business manager. Professor Swing's name appears as that of editor again in 1876. In 1877 Mr. McClure disposed of his interest. In the same year Francis F. Browne became literary editor, and A. H. Huling took charge of the political department. In 1878 Rev. Z. S. Holbrook purchased an interest and assisted Professor Swing. Browne and Huling soon retired and Mr. Holbrook sold to Henry L. Shepard, who in 1879 and 1880 was filling the position of editor. Dixon and Shepard are named as publishers in 1879, and the Alliance Association in 1881. The failure of the paper early in 1882 is said to have been due to the unscrupulousness of the business manager. A consolidation with the *Western Magazine* was effected in March, and the new periodical appeared as the *Weekly Magazine* (see *Western Magazine*). The title *Chicago Alliance* was changed to *Alliance* in third volume and in the next volume to *Alliance and Radical Review*. HC

American Home Magazine, 1873(?)–——(?): An illustrated magazine mentioned in the city directory for 1873. Charles H. Taylor and Company were proprietors.

American Working People, 1873(?)–——(?): R. C. Machesney was editor in 1873.

Augustana och Missionären, 1873 to date: In 1876 this weekly was divided into two fortnightlies, *Augustana* and *Missionären*, but after a year the combined title was resumed. The name became *Augustana* in 1885. Dr. Hasselquist was the first editor; he was succeeded in 1858 by Eric Norelius, and he by Erland Carlsson, who was editor until 1864; A. R. Cervin, 1864–1868; J. G. Princell, January–July, 1869; Hasselquist and others, 1869–1890; S. P. A. Lindahl, 1890–1908; Dr. L. G. Abrahamson, 1908.

Bee Keepers' Magazine, 1873(?) to date (1874): A monthly, devoted to bee keeping. H. A. King and Company were editors and publishers in 1873 and 1874. The paper was dated from New York and Chicago.

BETTER AGE, 1873 to date (1875): Semi-monthly. Edited and published in 1875 by John Russell and Charles P. Russell.

BRIDAL VEIL, 1873 to date (1876): Edited and published in 1874 by H. M. Habel, as a semi-monthly. Bi-weekly in 1875, published by the Bridal Veil Company. E

CATHOLIC VINDICATOR, 1873 to date (1877): Edited by Dr. D. W. Nolan; published by the Catholic News Company. Dated for Chicago and Milwaukee.

CHRISTIAN UNION, 1873(?) to date (1875): J. B. Ford and Company were publishers, 1873–1874. S. F. Junkin was manager, 1875.

CHRISTIAN VOICE, 1873(?) to date (1879): Fleming H. Revell was publisher in 1873. In 1877 W. W. Kelly and Company are given in the city directory as managers. W. S. Cossar was proprietor in 1879. E

CHICAGO COMMERCIAL ADVERTISER, July, 1873–1880: A commercial weekly paper. It was edited and published in 1874 by Burch and Ford: in 1875 by Robert B. Ford and company; in 1876 by the Metropolitan Printing Company; and in 1877 and 1878 by Charles S. Burch, in 1878 by Commercial Advertiser Company, and in 1879 again by Burch. Beginning with no. 1 of vol. 17, July 14, 1881, J. S. Salisbury was editor until July 1, 1886. F. W. Palmer then became editor and continued to March 25, 1897. From March, 1880, to September 1, 1882, the paper was called *Industrial World and Commercial Advertiser*. Its name then became *Industrial World and Iron Worker*. In March, 1898, it was merged with *Iron Trade Review* as *Industrial World and Iron Worker*. The Commercial Advertiser Company were publishers in 1880. HJD

COTTAGE MONTHLY, 1873–——(?): A periodical of the "family story" type, devoted to "entertaining literature". Readle, Brewster, and Company were the publishers.

DROVERS' JOURNAL, June, 1873, to date: Established by Harvey L. Goodall. It is devoted to agricultural and stock interests. It was published especially for the Union Stock Yards, 1875–1879. H. L. Goodall and Company were editors and publishers from the beginning until the death of Mr. Goodall, March, 1900. Since then his widow, E. F. Goodall, has been president of the stock company which publishes the paper. The *Drovers' Journal*, begun as a weekly, started also the *Chicago Daily Drovers' Journal* in 1874. The weekly edition became *Goodall's Farmer and Weekly Drovers' Journal*, October, 1900. In November, 1905, the name of the daily was changed to *Chicago Daily Drovers' Journal and Farm News*. From January to March,

1906, *Goodall's Farmer* was owned by the *American Breeder and Feeder*. Since that time it has been published weekly under this title by the Drovers' Journal Publishing Company. Since June, 1906, the daily has been the *Chicago Daily Farmers' and Drovers' Journal*. **AE**

ELECTROTYPE JOURNAL, 1873 to date (1881): A quarterly, devoted to typography and advertising. A. Zeese and Company, editors and publishers to date, 1881.

ELECTROTYPER, January, 1873 to date (1881): A quarterly, devoted to typography and advertising. Schniedewend, Lee, and Company were publishers in 1874. From that time up to 1881 the publishing firm was called Schniedewend and Lee. **J**

EULENSPIEGEL, 1873 to date (1881): A German comic weekly. It was published by Moritz Langeloth. **U**

EXCELSIOR MAGAZINE, 1873 to date (1875): A literary monthly. In 1875 M. Garland Walker was editor and publisher.

EXPOSITION PICTORIAL ADVERTISER, Fall, 1873: An illustrated paper "devoted to the humorous side of the Exposition." Distributed gratuitously. Published by the Pictorial Printing Company in the Exposition building. **H**

EXPRESS, 1873(?) to date (1880): A Greenback paper of which O. J. Smith was editor and publisher.

FACKLAN, (before 1873): A Swedish paper published for a short time by K. A. Ostergren.

FREEMAN, December, 1873–December, 1874+: Edited by W. S. Burke; published by Street, White, and Bowen. It was devoted to literature and politics. At the end of one year the editor and publishers changed the name to

NORTHWESTERN MAGAZINE, +December, 1874–——(?): Devoted to literature, science, art, politics, and religion. Edited by W. S. Burke; published by Street, White, and Bowen. The *Northwestern* was to give less attention to politics and more to literature. **H**

GAZETA POLSKA W CHICAGO, October, 1873 to date: Established and published weekly to date by Wladyslaw Dyniewicz, sole proprietor. It claims to be the oldest Polish paper in America. It is Independent-Republican.

GOLDBECK'S JOURNAL OF MUSIC, 1873 to date (1876): A monthly publication, devoted to music. It was edited and published in 1874 and 1875 by Robert Goldbeck. It is listed in the directory for 1876 with no report.

GROCER'S CRITERION, 1873 to date. A trade weekly, issued for advertising purposes. R. J. Bennett was editor in 1877. In 1878, and still in 1880, Thomas Althorp was publisher. In 1886 D. O. Lantz and Company were publishers. Eugene J. Hall was publisher in 1890. The Grocer's Criterion Company have been publishers since 1904.

DAILY HERALD, August 16–December 23, 1873: Established as a one-cent evening paper; later became two-cent. Independent. It was to have been succeeded by the *Sunday Argus* but no evidence is found that the *Argus* was begun. H

ILLUSTRATED JOURNAL OF AGRICULTURE, 1873(?)–1874(?): Perry P. Stone was manager.

INDUSTRIAL AGE, 1873–1878(?): A weekly industrial paper. In its first year it absorbed the *People's Paper* (q. v.). J. A. Noonan, S. M. Smith, and Charles E. Barney were editors; the Industrial Age Company, publishers, 1874–1875. In 1876 J. A. Noonan, S. M. Smith and "Professor" C. C. Buell were editors. J. A. Noonan and C. C. Buell were editors in 1877. It was listed in the directory for 1879, with no report. The paper of the same name now published was begun in 1896. UW

INVESTIGATOR, 1873–1908+: An insurance paper, at first weekly, but monthly by 1880. J. S. Bloomington was editor and publisher in 1875, and was still so in 1880. William E. Beer was editor, and Herbert W. Bloomington, publisher, in 1907. In January, 1908, this paper was merged in *Insurance Field.*

JOURNAL OF THE AMERICAN BUREAU OF MINES, 1873 to date (1875): A monthly mining journal. W. C. McCarty was editor and manager, 1874–1875.

DAILY JUBILEE, June, 1873: A souvenir of Chicago's gala week, June 5–12, 1873. Lively. H

LITERARY VARIETIES, March, 1873–——(?): Monthly. Edward N. Fuller was editor and publisher. Slight. H

LITTLE BOUQUET, 1873 to date (1877): A juvenile monthly, devoted to spiritualism. S. S. Jones was editor; the Religio-Philosophical Publishing Company were publishers, 1874–1877.

MASONIC RECORD, 1873(?) to date (1878): Carson and Barnard were publishers in 1873; Carson and Lamberson in 1874; C. H. Carson and Company, 1875–1878.

MASTER MECHANIC, 1873 to date (1874): A monthly, devoted to mechanics. Evans, Comstock, and Company were editors and publishers in 1874.

NORTH-WESTERN LUMBERMAN, 1873–1898+: A weekly paper devoted to lumber interests. William B. Jackson was editor and Judson and Dicey were publishers in 1874. In 1875 William B. Jackson and Calvin M. Mudge were editors and Judson, Dicey, and Company were publishers. Rufus King was business manager. In 1876 William B. Jackson was editor, and Judson and King were publishers. The Lumberman Publishing Company were editors and publishers, 1877–1880. The title of the paper became *American Lumberman* in 1898. January 1, 1899, the *Timberman*, established 1885, was absorbed. In 1907 J. E. Defebaugh was editor; the American Lumberman (Inc.) were publishers. This paper was monthly in 1874, with a semi-monthly bulletin. Since then it has been weekly. **WHE**

OCCIDENT, 1873 to date (September, 1895): A weekly radical reform Jewish journal. It was devoted to general news, politics, literature, science, art, and the interest of the Hebrews of the Northwest. Julius Silversmith, M.A., was editor and proprietor, 1873–1895. The Occident Publishing Company were publishers. In 1876 mention is made of the fact that this paper was printed in both English and German. **DAH**

OUR BOYS' AND GIRLS' OWN, 1873 to date (1875): A monthly publication. J. A. Densmore was editor and publisher in 1875. Listed as *Boys and Girls Magazine* in 1874.

PEOPLE'S PAPER, July 26–August 16, 1873: A grange organ edited by Edward N. Fuller. It was disposed of to J. A. Noonan and merged in *Industrial Age*. **H**

PORTFOLIO, 1873(?)–——(?): A monthly, devoted to literature and the fine arts.

PROFESSOR TRUMBULL'S FAMILY RECORD, 1873(?): Published by Trumbull and Carver.

SCIENTIFIC FARMER, 1873 to date (1874): Monthly. Dr. T. A. Bland was editor and Thomas G. Newman publisher in 1874.

SOUTH SIDE NEWS, 1873 to date (1874): Published weekly for Grand Crossing. Vansant and Company were editors and publishers in 1874.

STAG WEEKLY, 1873: A small two-column eight-page paper, apparently issued for gratuitous circulation, by Carpenter and Sheldon. **H**

STUDENT, 1873 to date (1874): Monthly. M. Wendell was editor, and Wendell and Einstein were publishers in 1874.

TO-DAY, 1873(?)–——(?): A weekly, edited by Dio Lewis.

TURNER'S MINARET, 1873–1875: A semi-monthly publication of the "family story" type. E. M. Turner and Company were editors and publishers in 1873. The paper was listed in 1875 as the *Minaret*.

VART NYA HEM, 1873 to date (1874): A Swedish monthly, edited and published by A. Chaiser and Company in 1874.

CHICAGSKY VESTNIK, 1873 to date (1881): Bohemian. A liberal Republican paper, published weekly. Josef Langmayer was editor and publisher in 1874 and 1877. Josef Langmayer was publisher and J. V. Matejka was editor in 1880. A later paper, monthly, of this name, was established in 1902 by the First Bohemian Catholic Central Union as the organ of this Union. The editors to date are Rev. Peter Cerveny and John Straka.

VOX HUMANA, 1873 to date (1879): A monthly, devoted to music. Charles Barnard was editor, and George Woods and Company were publishers, 1874–1876. It was dated for Cambridgeport, Massachusetts, and Chicago in 1876. In 1879 Louis C. Elson was editor, and George Woods and Company were publishers.

WESTERN JOURNAL OF EDUCATION, 1873 to date (1876): An educational paper, issued monthly. John W. Brown was editor and publisher in 1876.

WESTERN SPORTING TIMES, 1873(?)–——(?): Owned by T. Z. Cowles.

WILSON'S REFLECTOR, 1873 to date (1877): A monthly, devoted to the advertising of sewing machines. J. A. Spencer was editor, and the Wilson Sewing Machine Company were publishers in 1876. In 1877 Mrs. M. H. Fuller was editor, and the Wilson Sewing Machine Company were publishers.

WORKERS' LAMP, 1873 to date (1877): A monthly, devoted to mechanical interests. The Workers' Lamp Company were editors and publishers, 1874–1876. Charles G. Smith is mentioned as a publisher in 1875.

ZIONS VAKT, 1873: Organ of the Swedish Baptist Church; published by Dr. J. A. Edgren. Short lived.

AMERICAN ASPIRANT, 1874 to date (1876): Edited and published by A. F. Bradley and Company.

AMERICAN HOMES MAGAZINE, 1874(?)–——(?): An illustrated magazine published by Henry L. Shepard and Company. F. W. McClure was manager in 1874. Listed also as *American Home*.

AMERICAN MILLER, +May, 1874 to date: A monthly journal devoted to the art of flour milling. It was published for one year at Ottawa before its removal to Chicago, May, 1874. It was

originally owned and edited by Samuel S. Chisholm, with whom was associated Arthur J. Mitchell, and subsequently, in 1876, Harley B. Mitchell. The American Miller Publishing Company, which had been the style of the publishers, was incorporated in 1878, and in 1882 the style of the corporation was changed to Mitchell Brothers Company, which it still retains. Mr. Chisholm sold his interest to the Mitchells and retired. In 1907 H. B. Mitchell was editor. The officers of the publishing company are: H. B. Mitchell, president; M. W. Mitchell, vice-president, and A. J. Mitchell, secretary and treasurer.

ARBEITERFREUND, 1874(?)–——(?): German. Rudolph Ruhbaum was proprietor.

BABCOCK FIRE RECORD, 1874(?)–——(?): Monthly. Edited by George Mathews.

CARL PRETZEL'S NATIONAL WEEKLY, 1874–1893: The title later contained the word *Illustrated*, to advertise its cartoons. A comic paper, written in German-English lingo. It made an appeal to a wider public than its predecessor. Having exhausted after a time his original vein, Mr. C. F. Harris, the editor and publisher, turned his attention to politics. Among the contributors were Robert G. Ingersoll and John A. Logan. The paper became also the organ of some secret society interests. It retained throughout its existence something of its original humorous character. U

CATHOLIC PILOT, August 15, 1874 to date: A Catholic weekly. Edited and published throughout its existence by M. J. Cahill. It was listed in 1879 as *Irish Leader and Pilot* and in 1881 as *Pilot*.

CHILDREN'S VOICE, 1874(?)–——(?): W. Billings was editor and proprietor.

CHRISTIAN AT WORK, 1874(?) to date (1875): In 1874 H. H. Chandler was manager of the western branch, located in Chicago; C. D. Paine, 1875.

COMMERCIAL PRICE CURRENT, 1874 to date (1877): A weekly. R. W. Wheeler was editor; the Commercial Printing Company were publishers.

DAILY COURIER, January 1, 1874, to date (1877): Issued at 8 A. M. Given in the directory for 1876 as the *Morning Courier*, daily and weekly. A Sunday edition, the *Sunday Courier-Herald*, was established in 1876. The Courier Company were editors and publishers, 1874–1876; George I. Yeager, in 1877. The paper began as Independent; became Democratic. HU

THE CROSS AND THE SWORD, 1874(?): Nowlan and Cunningham were proprietors.

CRUSADER, 1874 to date (1881): A temperance monthly. Mrs. M. E. DeGeer and daughter, Mrs. C. V. Waite, were editors and publishers from 1875 to 1879 (and after?).

ENGINEER, ARCHITECT, AND SURVEYOR, 1874–1875+: Established by George H. Frost and Charles J. Moore. It was changed to

ENGINEERING NEWS, +1875–1879+: Established by George H. Frost. After one year Charles J. Moore became associated with Frost in editing and publishing the *Engineering News* which was soon made a weekly. Moore's name disappeared, and Frost continued as editor and publisher until the office of publication was moved to New York at the close of 1878. Vols. 9–18 are entitled *Engineering News and American Contract Journal;* vols. 19–59, *Engineering News and American Railway Journal.* The paper is still published in New York and maintains a Chicago office. **JC**

FIELD, 1874+: Weekly. Became **WH**

FIELD AND STREAM, +1874–1876+: It succeeded the *Field*, was published bi-weekly, and later became **H**

CHICAGO FIELD, February, +1876–July, 1881: A sportsman's weekly newspaper and recreative journal. Its publishers have been: C. W. Marsh and Company, 1874–1879; Chicago Field Publishing Company, March 1, 1879–July 1, 1881; American Field Publishing Company, July 2, 1881, to date. Edited by Marsh and Company to March 1, 1876. March 4, 1876, Dr. N. Rowe assumed editorial charge and on March 3, 1877, became editor and manager, and continued as such until his death, March 10, 1896. Dr. Rowe was also president and treasurer of the American Field Publishing Company until his death. Then Mrs. N. Rowe became president and treasurer of the company, and editor to date. From 1876 George W. Strell was associated with Dr. N. Rowe, was managing editor, 1886–1896, and general manager and editor, 1896 to date. Title was changed to *American Field* on July 2, 1881. Since 1883 the journal has been dated from New York and Chicago. **HA**

FRA MODERLANDENE, 1874 to date (1875): A Scandinavian weekly. Albert Fougner was general agent.

FURNITURE TRADE, 1874 to date (1880): Monthly. The paper was listed in the 1875 directory as *Western Furniture Trade*, and in 1879 and 1880 as *Furniture Trade Journal*, Brackett and Talcott were editors and publishers 1875–1876. The following year Charles E. Brackett was editor and publisher. The name of F. B. De Berard appears as editor and publisher in 1878; Brackett, Ealy, and Company in 1879. Francis LeBaron was editor in

1880, and F. B. De Berard, publisher. The journal was then semi-monthly. It was issued simultaneously in Chicago and New York in 1879.

GAZETA POLSKA KATOLICKA, 1874 to date: A Polish Catholic weekly. In 1876–1880 John Barzynski was editor, and the Polish Literary Society were publishers. In 1907 the W. Smulski Publishing Company were publishers. The word *Polska* is not now a part of the title.

GERICHTSHALLE, 1874– ——(?): A German paper, edited and published by E. Frederick.

GOOD TIDINGS, 1874(?)– ——(?): L. C. Collins and C. C. Marston were the editors.

GROCER, 1874–(after 1879)+: A commercial weekly. George P. Engelhard was editor, Hannibal H. Chandler was manager, and the Grocer Publishing Company were publishers, 1877–1879. It became

GROCER AND MERCANTILE REVIEW, +( ) after 1879 to date (1881): George P. Engehard continued in the position of editor. The Grocer Company were publishers in 1881, with H. H. Chandler as manager.

HANDELS UND INDUSTRIE ZEITUNG, 1874 to date (1876): A Scandinavian commercial paper. It was being published in 1876 by the Hejmdal Publishing Company.

HEJMDAL, 1874 to date (1877): A Scandinavian paper. Reichel and Salmonsen were editors and publishers in 1875. The following year the Hejmdal Publishing Company were publishers. In 1877 the same company were publishing the paper, and L. Salmonsen was editor. The proprietors for that year are given as Reichel and Company. This paper claimed to be "the largest Danish-Norwegian paper in the world."

HOSPITAL BAZAAR, November 16–25, 1874: Edited by Kate Newell Doggett in the interest of the Hahnemann Hospital Fair. J

HYRDESTEMMEN, 1874 to date: A weekly Sunday-school paper, published by the Norwegian and Danish Methodists. The editors have been: Rev. C. F. Eltzholtz, 1874–1878; Rev. Christian Treider and Rev. C. F. Eltzholtz, 1878–1880; A. Haagenson, 1880–1884; Christian Treider, 1884–1892; H. P. Bergh, 1892–1898; Christian Treider, 1898–1900; H. P. Bergh, 1900 to date. Files of the paper are available at 272 Grand avenue, Chicago.

ILLUSTRATED BIBLE STUDIES, 1874 to date (1879): A non-sectarian Sunday-school paper, published monthly. Howard, Turner, and Company were editors and publishers, 1874–1875. C. H.

Howard and Company were editors and publishers in 1876; C. H. Howard was editor, C. H. Howard and Company were publishers in 1879.

INSURANCE CRITIC, 1874 to date (1879): A semi-monthly, devoted to insurance interests. George W. and Joseph Reed, Jr., were editors and publishers, 1875–1876; George W. Reed and George W. Corliss, 1877 to date (1879). The paper is given in 1879 as a monthly, issued from Chicago and New York.

CHICAGO JOURNAL OF NERVOUS AND MENTAL DISEASES, January, 1874–October, 1875+: A quarterly medical journal. J. S. Jewell and H. M. Bannister were editors. The journal was continued as the

JOURNAL OF NERVOUS AND MENTAL DISEASES, +October, 1879–——(?).

LIQUOR TRADE REVIEW, 1874–——(?): Thomas Marshall was editor and publisher.

LIVE STOCK AND PRODUCE REPORTER, 1874(?) to date (1875): E. Griffiths was publisher. The paper was also listed as *Live Stock Reporter*.

METAL WORLD, 1874(?)–——(?): A commercial monthly, listed in the newspaper directory for 1874. It was published by the Metal World Publishing Company.

MILLENARIAN, January, 1874–——(?): Monthly. Edited and published by H. V. Reed. "The *Millenarian* advocates the personal return of Christ to our earth, his literal reign over Isreal and the nations, the resurrection of the holy dead at the com mencement of the Millennium, and their reign with Christ during the Millennial day and beyond," etc. H

MISSIONS-VÄNNEN, July, 1874 to date: Founded as a monthly by the Mission Synod; became weekly in 1880. Edited at first by A. W. Hedenschoug and L. J. Peterson, 1874–1880; Andrew Hallner, 1880–1882; A. E. Wenstrand and Gustaf Theden; and later Hallner, under whom the paper favored Prohibition. He was succeeded by John Hagestrom. The Mission Friends Publishing Company bought the paper in 1882. C. G. Peterson is manager.

NÄR OCH FJERRAN, 1874 to date (1879): A Swedish illustrated monthly published at the *Hemlandet* office, 1874–1877. Enander and Bohman were editors and publishers, 1875–1877. C

NATIONAL, 1874 to date (1881): A weekly, devoted to the interests of the liquor trade.

NORDEN, 1874 to date (1881): A Norwegian paper, Republican in politics. Hallward Hande was editor, and I. T. Relling and Company were publishers, 1875–1880. U

NOVELIST, 1874 to date (1881): A literary paper of which George E. Blakely was editor, and the Pictorial Printing Company were publishers, 1879–1880.

DEN NYE TID, 1874–after 1881: A socialist paper started by the Scandinavian sect of the Socialist Labor party. It was edited by Mr. Peterson. In 1881 a paper bearing the same name was listed in Ayer as established in 1877 and published by Den Nye Tid Publishing Company.

OUR REST, 1874–1880(?)+: A semi-monthly paper devoted to the Second Advent. The title was given in 1881 as *Our Rest and Signs of the Times*. Thomas Wilson was editor and publisher in 1873. The same was true in 1880, but in 1875 and 1876 Thomas Wilson and H. V. Reed were the editors.

OWL, October, 1874–——(?): A literary monthly devoted to library news, brief and terse, often unrestrained and enthusiastic. Book notices, and other items of literary interest including essays by W. F. Poole, designed to impress upon his readers his belief that good fiction should occupy a large place in public libraries, gave the paper good standing. It was edited by W. F. Poole, and published by W. B. Keen, Cooke, and Company, of whose book business the *Owl* seems to have been more or less the handmaiden. Vol. 1 consists of fourteen numbers; vol. 2 begins with January, 1876. NF

PEOPLE'S MONTHLY, 1874(?)–——(?): C. McKnight was editor.

SATURDAY EVENING HERALD, 1874–1909+: A weekly, devoted in early years to literature, art, music, and society; and in later years almost exclusively to society. Lyman B. Glover was founder, John M. Dandy, G. M. McConnell and Lyman B. Glover were editors up to 1879. McConnell withdrew in 1879, Glover in 1886. Dandy was editor to 1893 or after. In 1876 the Herald Publishing Company were publishers. Edward Freiberger was editor and publisher in 1907. Ernest L. Briggs, editor in 1909, started the *Illinois Illustrated Review*, July, 1909, and Chicago *Illustrated Review*, September 15, 1909, to succeed the *Herald*. AH

SCIENTIFIC MANUFACTURER, 1874 to date (1875): A semi-monthly, published at Detroit, Michigan, dated for Chicago and Detroit. Thomas S. Sprague was editor and R. H. Sprague, publisher, in 1874. R. A. Sprague was editor and publisher in 1875, and the paper was monthly.

SEWING MACHINE JOURNAL, 1874– ——(?): A monthly journal. A. M. Leslie and Company were editors and publishers in 1874.

TEMPLE CALL, 1874(?)– ——(?): Edited by Pliny P. Ravlin.

VOLKS–ZEITUNG, January, 1874–1876: A socialist paper established by a stock company called Social Democratic Printing Association, with Mr. Brucker as editor. The paper was sold to C. Conzett in 1876 and was used by him in establishing *Arbeiter-Zeitung*.

VORBOTE, March, 1874 to date: Established as a workingman's socialist organ, with Conrad Conzett as editor. The success of the venture led in 1876 to the purchase of *Volks-Zeitung* and the establishing of the *Chicagoer Arbeiter-Zeitung*, published three times a week. P. Grottkau was editor in 1879, and in that year the paper was taken over by the Socialistic Publishing Society. August Spies and Michel Schwab became editors in 1880, and were condemned for participation in the so-called Anarchist riots in Chicago in 1886. Spies was hanged and Schwab, sentenced to life imprisonment, was pardoned by Governor Altgeld in 1893. Since 1892 the paper has been published by Chicago Arbeiter-Zeitung Publishing Company, successor to the Socialistic Publishing Society.

WATCHMAKER AND METAL WORKER, 1874 to date (1881): Established as a monthly. In 1879 it was bi-monthly; then monthly in 1880. John H. Mather was editor and publisher, 1879–1880.

WESTEN, 1874(?)– ——(?): An Independent German weekly paper; the Sunday edition of the *Illinois Staats-Zeitung*. It was listed as the *Westen und Daheim* in 1907; a Republican paper. Raster was editor, 1874–1875, and The Illinois Staats-Zeitung Company were publishers, 1874–1876. U

WESTERN MANUFACTURER, April, 1874 to date (1882): A mechanical publication issued monthly. Fox and Company were editors and publishers in 1875; Fox and Coyne in 1876; Coyne and Gilmore in 1877; Coyne and Company in 1877–1880. H

WESTERN PHOTOGRAPHIC NEWS, October, 1874 to date (1876): Edited and published by C. W. Stevens.

AMERICAN TRADE JOURNAL, 1875 to date (1881): A commercial monthly.

AMERIKAN, 1875 to date: Bohemian. August Geringer has been publisher from 1875 to date. Listed in the 1877–1881 directories as weekly edition of *Svornost* (which see). Since 1907 it has been a bi-weekly. The paper has always been Independent.

BUDBAREREN, 1875(?) to date (1876): A Swedish paper of which Lars C. Svendson was proprietor.

CHRISTIAN REGISTER, 1875(?) to date: A Unitarian weekly, established in Boston in 1821. In 1875 it was dated for Chicago. Rev. T. J. Mumford was editor, Geo. H. Ellis was business manager; and the Christian Register Association were publishers. In 1907 George Batchelor was editor; the same association were publishers.

COMMERCIAL, 1875(?)–1876+: Edited by R. Wheeler. By 1877 it had been changed to

MARINE RECORD AND TRADE OF THE WEST, +1877(?)–——(?):

CONSERVATORY, 1875(?)–——(?): Lyman, McAllaster, and Company were publishers.

ENTERPRISE AND TIMES, 1875(?)–——(?)+: Published for South Chicago by H. L. Goodall and Company, who were also editors. Changed to

ENTERPRISE, +1875 to date (1877): A weekly, published for South Chicago by H. L. Goodall and Company. William Caffrey was editor.

GRAIN AND PROVISION REVIEW, 1875 to date (1881): A commercial paper. Cole and Company were editors and publishers in 1880.

GREAT SOUTH-WEST, 1875 to date (1876): A monthly advertising sheet. In 1876 George Rice was editor and publisher. The paper was dated from Sedalia, Missouri, and Chicago.

GUARDIAN, 1875 to date (1881): An English and German monthly, published in the interest of the I. O. O. F. The Guardian Publishing Company, of which S. L. Hurst was secretary, were editors and publishers, 1876–1877. The same company were publishers, 1878–1880. H. F. Holcomb was editor, 1878–1879; T. H. Glenn, 1880. H

CHICAGOER HANDELS-ZEITUNG, 1875 to date (1879): A German commercial and industrial weekly, claimed to be the only one in the West. C. Wenborne and J. Lingenberg were editors in 1877; Sittig and Wenborne were publishers. In 1879 Hermann Lieb was editor; the Chicago Democrat Printing Company were publishers. No report is given in the directory of 1880.

HOTEL WORLD, August, 1875 to date: A weekly class journal of general hotel information devoted to technical hotel literature, hotel news, and editorial. Established by Frank Glossop, who was editor and publisher, 1875–1877. William E. Smith was associated with him, 1877–1879. H. J. Bohn and Company purchased the paper in 1879 and continued the publication to 1883. H. J. and C. H. Bohn, 1883–1885; H. J. Bohn and Brother

(John J. Bohn), 1885 to date. Files are in the office and in the Library of Congress.

CHICAGO ILLUSTRATED NEWS, 1875(?): W. R. Steele was publisher.

INDEX, 1875(?) to date (1891): A Saturday paper, devoted to fiction. C. E. Tues was editor; the Index Publishing Company were publishers. This paper was listed in Rowell for 1891.

IN DOOR AND OUT, 1875 to date (1879): An illustrated literary monthly. George E. Blakely was editor, and the Pictorial Printing Company were publishers. 1876–1879.

INSURANCE PRESS, 1875(?)–——(?): Published by George Cohen.

LAKESIDE LIBRARY, 1875–1877: The issues of this "library" were tri-monthly pamphlets, the first of the kind, containing cheap reprints of standard fiction. Donnelley, Lloyd, and Company were the editors and publishers. This was said by John R. Walsh to have been the first ten-cent "library."

LANDLORD AND TENANT, 1875(?)–1876(?): John F. Golding was manager in 1875; Francis Timpson was publisher in 1876. U

MERCANTILE PRICE CURRENT, 1875 to date (1876): A daily and weekly commercial paper. The Chicago Mercantile Publishing Company were editors and publishers.

MORNING STAR, +1875(?) to date (1879): A Baptist weekly, founded at Dover, New Hampshire, in 1826. According to the directories it was dated for Boston and Chicago, 1875–1879. In 1875 George T. Day was editor; I. D. Stewart, publisher. G. F. Mosher and Rev. A. H. Huling were editors, 1876–1879; I. D. Stewart was publisher.

NATIONAL FARMER, 1875 to date (1879): A monthly publication issued from the office of *Factory and Farm*. M. E. Cole was editor, and Fox, Cole, and Company were publishers in 1879.

DAILY NEWS, December 26, 1875 to date: Established by Melville E. Stone, Percy R. Meggy, and William E. Dougherty. Meggy and Dougherty soon became discouraged and sold to Mr. Stone, who in turn sold to Victor F. Lawson in July, 1876. Later Mr. Stone bought a third interest in the property and conducted the editorial department until 1888, when he retired. Mr. Lawson became sole owner, and thereafter directed both the editorial and the business departments. In 1878 the *News* bought the *Evening Post*; in 1881 the issue of a two-cent morning edition, called at first *Morning News*, and after 1892 *Record*, was begun; it was made one cent in 1888. Mr. Lawson conducted both papers until March 28, 1901, when he sold the *Record* to the *Times-Herald* and the two were consolidated as *Record-*

Herald. The *News* has professed independence in politics, and enterprise rather than sensationalism. Its foreign special cable service has been a feature of its news enterprise, while its fresh-air fund, free lectures, and such undertakings indicate other directions in which it has been active. NH

PRINTING PRESS, July, 1875–October, 1876: A quarterly publication for printers, journalists, and others. Edited by Henry R. Boss and published for the Franklin Society as a means of increasing the library of that society. In the early numbers Boss printed his *Early Newspapers in Illinois.* In the second volume, beginning June, 1876, three bi-monthly numbers were issued, and the publication was then discontinued. JH

PROGRESSIVE FARMER, 1875(?)–——(?): Listed in the 1875 directory.

RAPID WRITER, +April, 1875–November, 1878+: A quarterly publication "devoted to the introduction of phonetic shorthand as the common and universal mode of writing." The first number was issued in Boston, June 15, 1865, and was edited by D. P. Lindsley. The second number, which did not appear until April 15, 1869, was issued from Mendon, Massachusetts. By that time an office had been established in Chicago with D. Kimball as manager. Beginning with the ninth number, *Rapid Writer* was issued at Andover, Massachusetts, and dated at Andover, Boston, and Chicago. The Rapid Writer Association thenceforward was publisher. Through 1873 the title was *Rapid Writer and Philological Magazine;* in 1874 *Rapid Writer and Tachygrapher;* beginning April, 1875, *Rapid Writer;* beginning January, 1877, *Rapid Writer and Takigrafer.* Early in 1875 the office of issue was moved to Chicago; by January, 1879, it was New York, though D. Kimball remained the western manager. The publication became bi-monthly in January, 1876; in January, 1877, monthly. J

REAL ESTATE REGISTER, 1875(?)–——(?): A monthly listed for 1875. Sams and Furber were proprietors.

ROLLING MILL JOURNAL, 1875(?): J. P. Ivers was editor.

SCHOOL WORLD, 1875 to date (1876): A monthly devoted to eq cation. William H. Gardner was editor and publisher in 1876.

SOUTH LAWN TRIBUNE, 1875(?) to date (1878): Young and Rowley were proprietors of this paper in 1875. John K. Rowley edited it in 1878.

SOUTH SIDE RECORD, 1875(?)–——(?): Owned and published by Vansant and Company.

SUNDAY SCHOOL GEM, 1875(?) to date (1877): Published by David C. Cook.

SVORNOST, 1875 to date: An Independent Bohemian paper, issued daily and Sunday. F. B. Zdrubek has been chief of the editorial staff, and August Geringer publisher, since the beginning. *Svornost* is the oldest Bohemian daily in the United States. C

TEMPERANCE MONTHLY, 1875 to date (1876): Mrs. C. Augustus Haviland was editor and publisher in 1875. There is no report given for 1876.

TEMPERANCE RECORD, 1875(?)–——(?): Edited by John Meagher.

TRAVELERS', SHIPPERS' AND MAIL GUIDE, 1875(?) to date (1880): W. H. Stoelker and Company were publishers.

WATCHMAN, 1875 to date (1886): A semi-monthly publication, devoted to the interests of the Y. M. C. A. It was a monthly in 1876, and edited and published by the Y. M. C. A. W. W. Van Arsdale was editor and publisher, 1877–1879. In 1880 W. W. Van Arsdale was editor, and F. H. Revell publisher. The paper was being published in 1884 and in 1886 by Van Arsdale. H

CHICAGOER WESPEN, 1875–——(?): A German comic paper, issued weekly. Dr. A. C. Lebell was editor and publisher in 1875.

WESTERN AGE, 1875 to date (1876): M. Mudge was editor, and W. H. Peck and Company were publishers, 1875–1876.

WESTERN BEACON, 1875(?)–——(?): Published monthly.

WESTERN PAPER TRADE, 1875 to date (1884): A monthly devoted to the paper trade mills. The Union Bag and Paper Company (formerly Wheeler, Fisher, and Company), were editors and publishers from the time it was founded by them in 1875 until January 15, 1881, when it was bought by J. Fred Waggoner. It was still published by him in 1884, but had disappeared before 1891. H

WESTERN TRADE JOURNAL, 1875 to date: Issued weekly and devoted to commercial, financial, and mining interests. Henry Clay Brace was sole editor and proprietor until 1894, when he sold to Jay Smith. Smith sold the paper, in 1895, to Fremont Arford, who has been editor, publisher, and proprietor from 1895 to date. The name was given in Ayer, 1881, as *Western Trade and Export Journal.*

AMERICAN HORSE-SHOER AND HARDWARE JOURNAL, 1876 to date (1881): A commercial monthly.

AMERICAN POULTRY JOURNAL, +1876 to date: An illustrated monthly, devoted to the interests of raisers of thoroughbred poultry, turkeys, ducks and geese. Established by C. J. Ward, 1874, in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, and moved to Chicago in 1876. C. J. Ward was editor; Ward and Darrah were publishers. In

1879 C. J. Ward, H. C. Darrah, and C. W. Heaton were editors; Ward and Darrah, publishers. C. J. Ward appears alone as editor and publisher in 1880. The paper was purchased by Morgan Bates in 1888. George G. Bates bought it in 1894, and the American Poultry Journal Publishing Company was incorporated in 1902. In 1907 Geo. B. Bates was editor; the above named company were publishers. At different times daily, weekly, and semi-monthly editions have been published. H

Appeal, 1876 to date (1880): A bi-weekly, published in the interest of the Reformed Episcopal church. Bishop Samuel Fallows was editor; Edward P. Brooks and Company were publishers in 1880.

Arbeiter Zeitung, 1876 to date: A workmen's socialist organ begun as a tri-weekly as a result of the success of *Vorbote*, a weekly, established by the same persons in 1874. Conrad Conzett was editor until 1878, when he sold to the Socialist-Labor party acting under the name of Socialist Publishing Company. Conzett was succeeded by P. Grottkau. The paper was made a daily at the end of 1878. August Spies, who became editor in 1880, and Michel Schwab, member of the staff, were implicated in the anarchistic riots in 1886; Spies was hanged, and Schwab, condemned to imprisonment for life, was pardoned by Governor Altgeld in 1893. Throughout the first week in May, 1886, the paper was suppressed by the police of Chicago; the compositors were arrested, and the printer threatened. The paper was censored for some time. The publishing company was incorporated in 1892 as the Arbeiter-Zeitung Publishing Company. A Sunday edition is called *Die Fackel*.[1] JN

Botanical Bulletin, November, 1875–November, 1876+: A monthly journal embracing all departments of botanical science. Established by Dr. John M. Coulter, who was editor and publisher. In November, 1876, it was changed, on the suggestion of Dr. Asa Gray, to the

Botanical Gazette, +November, 1876 to date: From January, 1878, to January, 1882, M. S. Coulter was associated with his brother as editor. When he ceased this relation in January, 1882, C. R. Barnes and J. C. Arthur became associate editors. In 1886 they became co-editors with Dr. Coulter. The editors were also publishers until July, 1876, when the University of Chicago became the publisher. It has continued so to date. After July, 1896, associate editors were selected from the various institutions of America and Europe. In July, 1900, J. C. Arthur was transferred from the list of editors to that of associate

[1] For a detailed account of the part played in the anarchistic movement by this group of papers, see Michael J. Schwab, *Anarchy and Anarchists*, Chicago, 1889.

editors. In January, 1905, the list of associates was discontinued. The present editors are John M. Coulter and C. R. Barnes. JU

CHRISTIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL TEACHER, 1876 to date (1881): A monthly religious paper.

CHRONICLE, 1876(?): Monthly. Mentioned only in the directory for 1876, which gave George Alexander as editor.

DREW'S COLLEGE JOURNAL, September, 1876–——(?): An advertising sheet published monthly in the interest of Drew's Business College. H

DUNTON'S SPIRIT OF THE TURF, October 18, 1876 to date (1881): A weekly, devoted to sport. Frank H. Dunton and Charles E. Jones were editors; F. H. Dunton was publisher in 1877. In 1880, Frank H. Dunton was editor; F. H. and E. M. Dunton were publishers. H

EDITOR'S EYE, 1876 to date (1880): Clarence P. Dresser was editor in 1880. The publishers for that year were the Editor's Eye Company, comprised of C. P. Dresser, F. B. Clancy, and A. E. Spencer. A local paper.

EDUCATIONAL WEEKLY, +December, 1876–1881(?): Formed by the combination of *School Bulletin and Northwestern Journal of Education*, Wisconsin; *Michigan Teacher; Illinois Schoolmaster; Nebraska Teacher; The School*, Michigan; *Home and School*, Kentucky; *School Reporter*, Indiana. William F. Phelps was the first editor, associated with whom were Professor Edward Olney, University of Michigan; J. M. Gregory, president Illinois Industrial University, and Newton Bateman, president Knox College. Winchell and Klein were publishers. By 1878 E. O. Vaile and S. R. Winchell were editors and proprietors; S. R. Winchell and Jeremiah Mahony, editors, S. R. Winchell and Company, publishers, 1880; J. Fred Waggoner was editor and publisher in 1881. H

FACTORY AND FARM, 1876 to date (1880): A monthly of which Fox, Cole, and Company were editors and publishers, 1877–1880. C

FANCY GROCER, 1876 to date (1879): A weekly commercial advertising sheet. Ferdinand Fish was editor, and Southwick and Pemberton were publishers in 1879.

FOLKETS AVIS, 1876 to date (1880): A Danish weekly, Independent in politics. Myrup and Olson were editors and publishers in 1880. The paper was dated for Racine, Wisconsin, and for Chicago.

FOLKETS ROST, 1876 to date (1877): A Norwegian weekly. J. Ditten and Joe Ellerston were editors; Joe Ellerston and Company, publishers.

GASKELL'S MAGAZINE, 1876–1887: A monthly educational magazine. A. J. Scarborough was editor; the G. A. Gaskell Company were publishers.

HIGHWAY PAPERS, 1876 to date (1879): An evangelical monthly. Isaiah Reid was editor and publisher.

INTERNATIONAL LESSON, 1876(?) to date (1880): A monthly of which Fleming H. Revell was publisher in 1876; William B. Jacobs in 1880.

IRISH TRIBUNE, 1876 to date (1881): A weekly paper, Independent in politics. M. Ryan was editor; the Irish Tribune Publishing Company were publishers. P. J. Ryan was business manager, 1879–1880.

NATIONAL DEMOKRAT, 1876 to date (1877): A German Democratic paper, published daily except Sunday. George Braham was business manager in 1877. It was said to be the official organ of the city and county, to have a larger circulation than any other German Democratic paper in the west, and to be the only German Democratic paper published in Chicago.

OLD OAKEN BUCKET, 1876: A monthly literary publication of the "family story" type. E. M. Turner and Company were editors and publishers.

POMEROY'S DEMOCRAT, +January 1, 1876 to date (1880): A weekly Greenback paper removed January 1, 1876, from New York where it was founded in 1869. After January 26, 1878, the title was *Pomeroy's Illustrated Democrat*. Mark M. Pomeroy was editor and publisher. HA

RAILROAD CONDUCTOR'S BROTHERHOOD MAGAZINE, 1876 to date (1880): A monthly magazine of which J. Ward Boyles was editor and publisher, 1876–1880.

RAILWAY AGE, June 17, 1876–June, 1908+: A weekly journal devoted to the construction. equipment, operation, maintenance, and public relations of railways. It was first issued June 17, 1876, by the Railway Age Publishing Company; George S. Bangs, president; Elisha H. Talbott, manager; Horace R. Hobart, editor. Mr. Talbott was the originator of the *Railway Age* and from 1878 to 1891 was president as well as manager. H. W. Shuey was treasurer and business manager from December, 1886. In September, 1891, Harry P. Robinson and associates purchased Mr. Talbott's controlling interest and merged into the *Railway Age* the *Northwestern Railroader*, which for some years had been published by them at Minneapolis, Minnesota. The Railway Age and Northwestern Railroader Company was incorporated with Harry P. Robinson,

president; Horace R. Hobart, vice-president, and Hugh M. Wilson, secretary and manager. In January, 1900, Hugh M. Wilson purchased the control from Mr. Robinson and assumed entire business and editorial management. The property was reincorporated as the Railway Age Company, with Hugh M. Wilson, president and manager; H. R. Hobart, vice-president; John N. Reynolds, second vice-president; W. H. Shuey, treasurer, and T. Addison Busby, secretary. In May, 1906, the Railway Age Company was reorganized as the Wilson Company. The *Railway Age* and the *Railroad Gazette* were united June, 1908, as *Railroad Age Gazette.* WHJU

RARESEK, 1876(?)– ——(?): A Bohemian weekly edited by Reischel Gutes.

SCIENCE AND PROGRESS, 1876 to date (1883): Listed in Hubbard's *Newspaper Annual* for 1883–1884.

CHICAGOER SOCIALIST, 1876 to date (1879): A German paper issued daily except Sunday. The Socialist Printing Association were editors and publishers in 1877. Robert List was manager in 1879.

SUNDAY SCHOOL ADVOCATE, +1876 to date (1877): Established in Boston in 1840. Published weekly and semi-monthly. It was dated for New York, Cincinnati, Boston, and Chicago in 1877. Rev. J. H. Vincent was editor, and Nelson and Phillips were publishers in 1877.

SUNSET CHIMES, 1876 to date (1887): A monthly literary magazine of the "family story" type. The Sunset Chimes Publishing Company were editors and publishers in 1877–1881.

TEACHERS' QUARTERLY, 1876 to date (1881): A quarterly evangelical paper.

WASHINGTONIAN, January, 1876–1893(?): A temperance monthly, edited by Daniel Wilkins and published by the Washingtonian Home Association. H

WATCH, 1876– ——(?): A bi-monthly advertising sheet. Charles Wendell and Company were editors and publishers in 1876.

WESTERN BREWER AND JOURNAL OF THE BARLEY, HOP, AND MALT TRADES, July, 1876–1907(?)+: A monthly devoted to brewing, malting, hop, and kindred trades. It was established by J. M. Wing and H. S. Rich, under the firm name of J. M. Wing and Company. H. S. Rich became sole owner in 1887. The company was incorporated in 1903 as H. S. Rich and Company, who are still the editors and publishers. There is a branch office in New York. In 1907 the name of the paper was given as *Western Brewer*, and has been so to date. J

WESTERN TRAVELER, 1876(?)–——(?): Published by D. A. Cashman.

WILD EDGERTON'S WEEKLY EVERGREEN, December 9, 1876–November, 1877: A weekly series of poems issued in pamphlet form, each bearing a serial number. By Brock L. McVicker. Fifty-two numbers were issued, toward the last in groups of four or five. H

WORDS OF LIFE, 1876(?) to date (1880): A monthly edited and published by Fleming H. Revell, 1876–1880. H

AMATEUR MECHANIC, July, 1877, to date (1878): A monthly edited and published by Samuel Harris as an advertising sheet. H

AMERICAN HOME, 1877 to date (1881): A bi-monthly family periodical. In 1879 and 1880 Mrs. Theodore C. Campbell was editor and publisher. C

BEOBACHTER, 1877 to date (1907): A German paper, founded at Wheaton by Paul Geleff, who was its editor to about 1885. Henry Wilhelmy owned and conducted the paper from 1885 to the year of his death, 1892. After that, A. Paessler was the proprietor. It has been for years the official paper of a number of suburban towns and of DuPage County. It has absorbed the McHenry *Familienfreund*, 1895, the Joliet *Volksblatt*, 1896, the Chicago *Concordia*, 1899, and the Harlem *Post*, 1906. It is known now (1907) as *Beobachter and Post*, published by the Beobachter and Post Publishing Company, and is listed as Independent in politics. It is dated for Chicago and for Wheaton.

BLADET, February, 1877 to date: Established by John Martenson as a fortnightly Swedish Lutheran paper. In 1879 it was combined with *Zions Banér*, owned by K. Erixon, who became joint owner with Martenson, and *Bladet* was made a weekly. Victor Rylander later became a member of the firm. John Martenson has been editor from the beginning. Organ of the Free Mission Friends.

BOARD OF TRADE, 1877: A commercial monthly, published by M. T. Lane and Company.

BUNDER–POSAUNE, 1877 to date (1879): A German evangelical monthly, published under the auspices of the Publishing Committee of the German National Y. M. C. A., with Rev. J. D. Severinghaus as editor, Severinghaus and Company, publishers.

MONTHLY CASKET, 1877(?) to date (1880): Edward U. Jones was editor, 1877–1880.

CHURCH AND SCHOOL, 1877 to date (1880): A non-sectarian monthly, edited and published by David C. Cook.

CLOTHING GAZETTE, 1877(?)–——(?): Edited by John McGreer.

COSMOPOLITAN, 1877 to date (1880): A monthly, devoted to fashions. C. A. Vosburg and Company were editors and publishers in 1879 and 1880.

DEUTSCHE AMERIKANISCHE MUELLER, 1877 to date (1881): A German mechanical monthly. In 1879 Sittig and Wenborne were editors and publishers. In 1880 E. A. Sittig was editor and publisher.

DEUTSCHE WARTE, 1877 to date: A German Independent weekly, (semi-weekly since 1889) edited and published to 1884 by the German Book and News Company. Since 1884 the Germania Publishing Company have been publishers. Dr. H. Duemling is now editor-in-chief.

DRUGGIST, 1877 to date (1881): A monthly, devoted to drug interests.

DUCH CASU, 1877 to date: A Bohemian illustrated weekly, devoted to literature. It has a comic section and is issued from the office of the *Svornost*. August Geringer is editor and publisher.

EVANGELISK TIDSKRIFT, 1877–January 1, 1885+: Edited by Dr. J. A. Edgren and published by Rev. N. P. Jensen until 1880, when it was turned over to E. Wingren. Started as a monthly; in 1881 made semi-monthly. January 1, 1885, the name was changed to *Nya Wecko Posten*, which is still edited and published by Rev. E. Wingren. Swedish Baptist.

EVERY CHILD'S PAPER, 1877(?) to date (1878): Miss E. C. Pruden was editor and proprietor.

EVERY YOUTH'S PAPER, 1877(?) to date (1878): Miss E. C. Pruden was editor and publisher.

EYE, 1877 (?) to date (1886): Devoted to art, photography, and humorous and other literature. In 1884 Hutchin and Cotmer were editors and publishers.

FAIR PLAY, 1877(?)–February, 1882+: The first number, that for December 10, 1881, was labeled vol. VI, no. 1; the issue for February 11, 1882, was the last. Edited by Frank H. Brooks. It was apparently either the successor to some earlier publication or VI should have been 1. On Sunday, February 19, 1882, Brooks began the publication of *Porcupine*, apparently aimed to serve the same somewhat unobvious purpose as *Fair Play*. **H**

FARM AND GARDEN, 1877 to date (1881): A bi-monthly advertising sheet.

FARMERS' REVIEW, 1877 to date: Established by A. Moore. Until 1880 it was monthly; since then it has been weekly. It has always been devoted to live stock and agriculture. The Farmers'

Review Company were editors and publishers in 1879 and until 1883. It was purchased in 1883 by Hannibal H. Chandler and Company, of which company Hannibal H. Chandler was president and Edwin W. Chandler, secretary. It was edited and published by this company until April, 1909, when it passed into the ownership of the National Stockman and Farmer Company, of Pittsburg, Pa., and Chicago. Under this management the publication continues weekly as before. Files are available at the office. **HU**

GOOD NEWS, 1877(?)–——(?): Monthly.

HARDWARE AND IMPLEMENT TRADE, 1877(?): A weekly, published by Tucker and Smith.

HARDWARE AND IRON LIST, 1877(?) to date (1879): A. C. Schooley was editor and proprietor, 1877–1879.

ILLUSTRATED BOOT AND SHOEIST, 1877(?)–——(?): John McGreer was editor.

INDEPENDENT, 1877–1880(?): William Burgess was editor and publisher. "Devoted to the interests of hotel men, merchants, and manufacturers." **H**

INSURANCE HERALD, 1877–1880(?): Geo. I. Yeager was editor and the Herald Publishing Company were publishers in 1877. This paper was apparently started by Yeager after the *Herald* was changed to *Argus*. George I. Yeager is given in the city directories as manager, 1879–1880.

SEMI-WEEKLY JOURNAL, 1877(?)–——(?): Published by H. L. Goodall and Company.

JOURNAL OF SCIENCE, 1877 to date (1881): A scientific monthly publication. **H**

KATHOLISCHER JUGEND FREUND, 1877 to date (1881): A German Catholic juvenile magazine. Rev. A. J. Thiele was editor, and C. M. Staiger publisher, 1879–1880. The paper was published bi-weekly 1877–1878, and weekly 1879–1880.

LAW JOURNAL, 1877 to date (1907): Published weekly since its establishment by the Chicago Law Journal Publishing Company. Judge John Gibbons was editor for a number of years, and was succeeded by Col. J. W. C. Jones. D. M. Hammack was afterwards editor. In 1907 the editor was William F. Denneman, LL.B. This paper is not listed in Rowell for 1879, nor in Ayer for 1881. Files may be found at the Chicago Public Library, the Chicago Law Institute, and the various State Law Libraries throughout the country.

LEAF, 1877 to date (1881): A commercial weekly devoted to the tobacco trade. J. Irving Crabbe was editor in 1879; and Collins and Hoffman were publishers. In 1880 George N. Holdcraft was editor; G. P. Hoffman, publisher.

MARVEL, 1877(?) to date (1878): A monthly published by Spalding and Company in 1877. Charles E. Bonnell was editor and proprietor in 1878.

MIRROR OF FASHIONS, February, 1877(?)–1880(?): An advertising sheet. Vol. 3, no. 6 is dated July 17, 1879. In 1879 J. D. Goodrich was publisher. J. D. Goodrich and Company were publishers in 1880. The paper was then listed as *The Mirror*. H

MUSICAL REVIEW, April, 1877– ——(?): Edited by George B. Armstrong; published monthly by the Musical Review Publishing Company.

NAD OCH SANNUNG, 1877(?) to date (1880): Scandinavian. Ewald, Lindell and Skeppstedt were proprietors in 1878. In 1880 Charles Lindell and Rev. Carl A. Ewald were editors.

NATIONAL BOARD OF TRADE, 1877 to date (1879): Published weekly. E. A. Saxby was editor in 1878; M. T. Lane was editor, the National Board of Trade Publishing Company were publishers, 1879.

NEUE ZEIT, 1877– ——(?): A German Independent paper. It was the Sunday edition of the *Volks Zeitung*. The Chicago Press Society were editors and publishers.

NORSK-AMERIKANSKE INDEPENDENT, 1877 to date (1879): A Norwegian Independent publication. O. M. Peterson, Morck and Company were editors and publishers in 1879.

NORTHWEST, 1877(?)– ——(?): Issued daily and weekly. It was edited by Carl Grandpré, and published by Emil Bischof.

PLAY, 1877 to date (1881): A monthly devoted to drama and music. H

PRACTICAL TEACHER, 1877 to date (1881): A paper devoted to education and issued semi-monthly except during July and August. It was a monthly in 1879. Klein and Kimball were editors and publishers in 1879–1880.

PUBLISHERS' MONTHLY, 1877(?) to date (1878): Luther Conant was manager in 1878.

SOCIAL SCIENCE JOURNAL, 1877–1881: A monthly, issued by the Illinois Social Science Association and sent gratis to its members; Miss S. A. Richards was editor, 1879–1880.

STATES, September 8, 1877– ——(?): A Greenback weekly, with departments of literature and law. Its career seems to have been brief. H

SVENSKA POSTEN, 1877+: A Swedish semi-monthly paper edited by Peter Roos. Its name was soon changed to

SVENSKA AMERIKANAREN,[1] +October, 1877 to date: Established by Herman Roos and Nels Anderson. Herman Roos was editor till June, 1878; Roos and Elmblad, 1878–1880; Elmblad, 1880–1884; Sundelius, C. F. Peterson and Jacob Bonggren, 1884–1888; Bonggren, 1888–——(?). Nels Anderson was owner until 1884, when he sold to P. A. Sundelius, N. P. Nelson, and Gabriel Hjertquist, as the Swedish American Printing Company. Frans A. Lindstrand acquired most of the stock in 1888; he sold in 1908 to F. A. Larson.

CHICAGOER VOLKS-ZEITUNG, 1877–——(?): A German Independent paper, issued daily except Sunday. The Chicago Press Society were editors and publishers in 1877.

WESTERN SHOE AND LEATHER REVIEW, 1877 to date (1881): A commercial weekly. C. E. Rollins was manager, 1878–1879; Yeager and McDermott were publishers, 1879–1880; C. H. McDermott was editor, 1880; and the Western Shoe and Leather Review Company were editors and publishers, 1881(?)–——(?). **HC**

YOUNG FOLKS WEEKLY, 1877(?)–——(?): Published by H. N. F. Lewis.

ALARM, 1878–(after 1884): An English organ of the Workingman's party. Edited by A. R. Parsons, one of the notorious group of Chicago anarchists.

ALL THE WORLD OVER, 1878(?)–——(?): Mentioned in the directory for 1878. G. F. Thomas was publisher.

AMERICAN ANTIQUARIAN, 1878–1881+: Established and edited by Stephen D. Peet. After the first three volumes the name of the paper was changed to *American Antiquarian and Oriental Journal*, which has continued to date. It was published as a quarterly until 1884, since when it has been bi-monthly. Its interests are literary and scientific. It has dealt mainly with the prehistoric works and races of America, also to less extent with those of Europe, Asia, and Africa. The co-operation of European and American archæologists, distinguished in both biblical and classical lines of work, has secured the journal a means of maintaining a scientific basis for all that it publishes. Its pages are illustrated. In 1880 Jameson and Morse were publishers. Mr. Peet is now his own publisher. **HJC**

AMERICAN CHESS JOURNAL, 1878 to date (1881): A monthly, given up to the problems of the game of chess.

[1] This paper should not be confused with a paper of the same name which was established in 1866.

AMERICAN FURNITURE GAZETTE, 1878 to date (1881): A monthly trade periodical.

AMERICAN HOMEOPATH, 1878–1880+: A monthly homeopathic journal, published in New York, dated from New York and Chicago until 1880. In 1879 J. P. Mills was editor; A. L. Chatterton and Company were publishers. In 1880 Charles E. Blumenthal, M.D., was editor; the publishers were the A. L. Chatterton Publishing Company. Vols. 2 and 3 were called *American Homeopathist* and later volumes, *American Physician.* Continued in New York until December, 1908.

AMUSEMENT WORLD, December 11, 1878– ——(?): A weekly review of the drama, music, and the fine arts. Edited by Frank I. Jervis, published by William E. Smith. H

ARTIST, 1878(?): G. F. Thomas was editor.

BARN–VANNEN, 1878–1879(?): Rev. A. Hull was editor in 1878 or 1879, and Charles O. Lindell in the next year.

BUDGET, 1878 to date (1881): Brainerd and Daniels were editors; A. Porter was publisher. Weekly.

BUSINESS MAN'S MAGAZINE, 1878(?)– ——(?): J. P. Scott was publisher.

CALL, 1878 to date (1881): A Sunday paper, devoted to matters of family interest. T. J. Morrow was editor and publisher in 1880.

CHAMPION OF FAIR PLAY, 1878 to date: An English and German weekly devoted to liquor interests. Edited and published in 1907 by R. J. Halle.

CHAPEL CHRONICLE, September, 1878– ——(?): A monthly record of the mission work of the First Presbyterian church at Railroad Chapel. Edited by N. O. Moore. H

CITIZENS' LEAGUE, December 14, 1878, to date (1879): Prohibition rampant. Frederick D. Dalton was editor and proprietor. H

CONDITOR, KOCH UND BAECKER ZEITUNG, 1878 to date (1879): A German scientific conmmercial publication, issued bi-weekly at Chicago and Philadalphia. F. Lisiewski and Company were editors and publishers in 1879.

CONSERVATOR, 1878 to date: A Colored Republican weekly. In 1878 Ferdinand L. Barnett and James E. Henderson were editors; in 1879 Joseph Houser was publisher. In 1907 D. R. Wilkins was editor; the Conservator Printing and Publishing Company were publishers.

EXPOSITION DAILY PRESS, Fall, 1878: The official organ of the Inter-State Exposition, for free distribution. Published by Creswell, Wanner, and Company. H

FAEDERNESLANDET, 1878 to date (1880): A Swedish weekly publication. Olson and Company were editors and publishers, 1879–1880.

FAMILY JOURNAL, 1878(?)–——(?): Edited by Miss C. T. Stalp.

FARM, FIELD, AND FIRESIDE, 1878–1906+: An agricultural monthly, founded by R. L. V. Powis. Thomas W. Herringshaw was publisher in 1879. Thomas Owen, Jr., and Frederick Hankohl were editors in 1880, and the Farm, Field, and Fireside Publishing Company were publishers. By 1885 the name had been changed to *Farm, Field, and Stockman*, and the paper was being published by a stock company of which Powis was president. Gen. Charles H. Howard and James W. Wilson bought the paper from Powis in the fall of 1885. From that time until 1900 the Howard and Wilson Publishing Company issued the paper, with General Howard as principal owner and controlling editor. Upon acquiring the *Farm, Field, and Stockman* in 1885, the publishers immediately changed it to a weekly. Under the same name it was published until 1893, when the title was changed back to *Farm, Field, and Fireside*. In 1894 the *Western Rural*, a weekly, which had been published some twenty years by Milton George, was purchased by the Howard and Wilson Publishing Company. The two weeklies were published by this company until 1900, when the business interests were divided. James W. Wilson took the *Western Rural*, sold his holdings in the publishing company, and it ceased to exist. The Howard Company purchased the *Farm, Field, and Fireside* and continued its publication till May, 1905. The president of this company and business manager was Otis McGaw Howard, son of General C. H. Howard, who was the treasurer. The secretary and associate editor was Miss Nina F. Howard. The *Farm, Field, and Fireside Monthly* was also published by the same company from 1899 to 1905. Among those who were connected with the paper a number of years as agricultural editors were Jonathan Periam, P. H. Jacobs, Wm. B. Lloyd, and Allan S. Neilson. The paper was sold to Wm. A. Radford in 1905 and in 1906 it was changed to a monthly and combined with another paper and the name changed to the *National Monthly Farm Press* edited by Herbert Shearer. U

FASHION COURIER, 1878(?)–——(?). H

FREEMAN, 1878 to date (1881): A Republican weekly.

GOOD AS GOLD, 1878(?)–——(?): Edited and published in 1878 by Mark M. Pomeroy.

GRAPHIC, 1878 to date (1895): An illustrated weekly publication. Hoffman and Lederer were editors and publishers in 1879. It

was listed as a Republican paper with the Graphic Company editors and publishers, 1891–1895.

HOMEOPATHIC RECORD, 1878(?)–——(?): W. F. Morrison was editor and proprietor.

INDICATOR, 1878 to date: Established by O. L. Fox, its present editor and proprietor. It was first issued as an art and music weekly. In 1880 it discarded art, and added piano and organ trade items. In 1907 it discarded music, and it has since been exclusively a piano and organ trade journal.

JEWISH ADVANCE, 1878 to date (1881): A Jewish weekly, printed in English and German. Rev. Henry Gersoni was editor, 1879–1880, and Max Stern, publisher. H

JOURNAL OF FREEDOM AND RIGHT, 1878 to date (1881): A weekly, devoted to the liquor interests.

LIVING CHURCH, 1878–1907+: A weekly publication, devoted to the interests of the Episcopal church. It was established in Chicago by the Right Rev. Samuel S. Harris, D.D., LL.D., and the Rev. John Fulton, D.D. The paper passed into the hands of the Rev. C. W. Leffingwell, D.D., 1879, and he was editor and publisher until 1900. For a part of this time Arthur P. Seymour was associated in the business management. In 1907 the paper was removed to Milwaukee, where it is still published, dated for Milwaukee, Chicago and New York. Frederic Cook Morehouse is editor; the Young Churchman Company are publishers. H

MANUFACTURERS' FIRE INSURANCE GUIDE, 1878(?) to date (1879): R. A. Waller was publisher.

MILLER'S NATIONAL MAGAZINE, October, 1878–——(?): A quarterly publication. H

CHICAGO MINING REVIEW, 1878 to date: A mining and industrial journal published monthly. The Mining Review Publishing Company were editors and publishers in 1880. From 1880 to after 1886 the name was given as *Mining Review*. By 1907, the paper had become the *Mining Review and Metallurgist*. It was edited and published by Edward A. Taft. C

MONITOREN, 1878(?)–——(?): L. P. Nelson was proprietor.

NATIONAL LAUNDRY JOURNAL, 1878 to date: A semi-monthly publication devoted to trade. Charles Dowst was editor and publisher from the beginning. E. S. Jefferson is mentioned as an editor in the city directory for 1879. In 1907 Charles Dowst was editor and president of the Dowst Brothers Company, publishers. This has remained true to date. The *Journal* is "the first paper in the world to be devoted to the laundry trade."

NEWSBOYS' APPEAL, 1878(?) to date (1880): Albert Landon and Company were publishers in 1878; J. J. Tobias was editor in 1879; and Mrs. E. A. Forsyth was manager in 1880.

NORTH SIDE REPORTER, 1878–(after 1880): A local paper. F. W. Brenckle was editor and publisher; later in 1879 Brenckle and Thomas P. Getzmere were editors; Brenckle alone in 1880. H

NORTH–WESTERN COMMERCIAL TRAVELER, 1878 to date (1881): A commercial monthly. It was edited and published by Hatch and Chase in 1879; by D. C. Chase in 1880.

OUR NEW EMPIRE, 1878 to date (1879): A monthly publication. E. H. Briggs and W. W. Fithian were editors, and E. H. Briggs and Company were publishers in 1879.

OUR PICTURE GALLERY, January–December, 1878+: A monthly "for little folks." It was made up chiefly of stock wood cuts, with some second-reader rimes and anecdotes. Published by the Chicago Engraving Company. It was continued as H

PICTURE GALLERY FOR YOUNG FOLKS, +December, 1878 to date (1881): A monthly publication devoted to juvenile interests. Mrs. D. N. Bash was editor, and the Chicago Engraving Company were publishers in 1880.

OVER LAND AND SEA, 1878 to date (1879): A monthly literary publication. The Over Land and Sea Company were editors and publishers in 1879.

PAMPHLET MISSION, March–August, 1878+: At the end of the first volume of six monthly numbers this paper changed its form and became

UNITY, +September, 1878 to date: A paper devoted to the interests of the Unitarian church. At first issued monthly, it became semi-monthly in 1879, and weekly in 1885. In 1878 it was managed and edited by a committee of five: Rev. Robert Collyer, Rev. J. Lloyd Jones, Rev. W. C. Gannett, Rev. C. W. Wendte, Rev. J. C. Leonard; Miss Frances L. Roberts was business agent. Rev. H. M. Simmons became managing editor in 1879. In 1881 Rev. J. L. Jones became editor. From 1881 to 1885 *Unity* was published by the Colgrove Book Company; from 1886 to 1893 by Charles H. Kerr and Company; from 1893 to date by the Unity Publishing Company. Charles H. Kerr became office editor in 1886, with Jenkin Lloyd Jones, David N. Utter and James V. Blake resident editors. Jenkin Lloyd Jones and W. Kent were editors, and the Unity Publishing Company were publishers in 1907. This periodical was published for a time, several years ago, with the title *The New Unity*. Files are available at the Abraham Lincoln Centre, Chicago, and at Meadville College, Pennsylvania. HCW

PLATTDEUTSCHE ZEITUNG, 1878 to date (1881): A German weekly. Edward Cook was editor and publisher in 1880.

RAILWAY ENTERPRISE, 1878(?)+: Published by Day K. Smith. It was apparently combined in 1878 or 1879 with *Railroader*, and continued as

RAILROADER AND RAILWAY ENTERPRISE, +1878(?) to date(1879): Issued monthly. It was dated from Chicago and Toledo in 1879. The Railroader Publishing Company were publishers.

RAILWAY MASTER MECHANIC, 1878 to date: A monthly devoted to the interests of railroads. O. H. Reynolds was editor, and Bruce V. Crandall Company were publishers until February, 1909, when they sold to the Railway List Company, which now publishes the paper, with L. F. Wilson as editor. U

RAILWAY PURCHASING AGENT, 1878–January 1, 1886+: Edited and published by Willard A. Smith in 1879. Smith and Cowles were publishers in 1880. United with *Railway Master Mechanic*, January 1, 1886. Willard A. Smith was publisher in 1886; the B. V. Crandall Company were publishers in 1889, followed by the Railway Purchasing Agent Company, with E. N. Lewis as manager. Walter D. Crosman appeared as editor February, 1890, and a few months later as manager of the editorial department; Waldo H. Marshall, editor, 1892–1895; Railway List Company, publishers, Walter D. Crosman, editor, 1896–1900. William E. McGraw became manager in 1900; Bruce A. Crandall has been editor and publisher, 1900 to date, with various editors under him. J

RAILWAY TIMES, 1877 to date (1881): A weekly, devoted to the interests of railroads.

REAL ESTATE JOURNAL AND WEEKLY BULLETIN, 1878(?)–——(?): Published by the Bulletin Printing Company.

CHICAGO RIBBON REVIEW, March 24–October(?), 1878+: "Devoted to temperance, science, literature and art." Published weekly by the Ribbon Publishing Company. In the thirty-second number the name had been changed to H

CHICAGO REVIEW, +October(?), 1878 to date (1879): A weekly devoted to temperance. W. C. Crum was editor and publisher in 1878. Charles C. M. Salvesen was editor and proprietor in 1879–1880. H

SCHIBBOLOTH, 1878(?)–——(?): Published by Lindahl and Setterdahl.

SENTINEL, 1878 to date (1881): A weekly Greenback paper. Seymour F. Norton was editor and publisher, 1879–1880.

SOCIALIST, 1878: An English organ of the Socialist Labor party,

with Frank Hirth as editor, and A. R. Parsons assistant editor. Because of party strife the paper failed within the year, and Parsons became editor of *Alarm*.

DAILY TELEGRAPH, March 2, 1878–May 9, 1881+: Established by S. F. Norton as an organ of the Greenback-Labor party. After a few months William T. Collins purchased a large interest and made the paper Democratic. In the spring of 1881 the property was secured by the projectors of the *Morning Herald*. The last issue was dated May 9, 1881. The *Herald* began May 10 with Frank W. Palmer as editor-in-chief, with Will D. Eaton as assistant, and J. W. Scott publisher and business manager. In 1882 Palmer retired; John F. Ballentyne became editor, with Slason Thompson and David Henderson assistants. Up to this time the *Herald* had been Republican; it now became Independent, with Republican proclivities. In August, 1883, John R. Walsh bought a controlling interest, which he, with James W. Scott and A. F. Hatch, held until after 1892. With this change in ownership the *Herald* became Democratic, with Martin J. Russell as editor, assisted by Horatio W. Seymour. After two or three years Seymour became editor, and continued to serve as editor until March 4, 1895, when the *Herald* was combined with the *Times*, and the two were continued in the *Times-Herald* until March 28, 1901, when this paper was combined with the *Record* as *Record-Herald*. (See pp. 66, 127.) H

TILSKUEREN, 1878 to date (1880): A Scandinavian paper published monthly. Louis Pio was editor and publisher, 1879–1880.

VERDENS GANG, 1878 to date: A Norwegian-Danish weekly Independent paper. In 1880 Nels Sampson and Company were editors and publishers. The Verdens Gang Company were publishers in 1907 and are still so.

VOLKSFREUND, 1878 to date (1880): Published daily and Sunday. The Volksfreund Publishing Company were editors and publishers in 1880. Edward Runnel was managing editor in 1879.

WESTERN ENTERPRISE, 1878(?)–——(?): A monthly literary publication, edited and published by John J. Sullivan.

WESTLICHE SCHÜTZE UND JAGD ZEITUNG, 1878–——(?): A monthly German publication, devoted to sport. John J. Pinzel was editor and publisher in 1878.

WITNESS, 1878 to date (1881): An evangelical weekly. Rev. Thomas J. Lamont was editor and publisher, 1879–1880.

X. Y. L. N. T. JOURNAL, 1878(?)–——(?): Published by Henry Donohoe.

ABBOTT'S UNITED STATES MONTHLY, 1879–1884.

ÆTNA, 1879(?)–——(?): An insurance publication, edited by Ira J. Mason. Although the issue for November 15, 1879 is labeled vol. 12, no. 1, there is nothing to indicate that any numbers preceded this one. H

AGRICULTURE AND FAMILY GAZETTE, 1879(?)–——(?): Mentioned only in the directory for 1879. Ray Lespinasse was manager.

AMATEUR'S JOURNAL, 1879–——(?): An amateur paper edited and published by Henry F. Donohoe.

AMERICAN CONTRACTOR, 1879 to date: A monthly devoted to trade, especially to furnishing "advance reports of building projects before the closing of contracts. B. Edwards and Company were publishers, 1895; American Contractor Company in 1899. H. A. Beckel was editor, and the American Contractor Publishing Company were publishers in 1907.

AMERICAN GRAPHIC, 1879–1905: A society monthly.

AMERICAN STOCKMAN, 1879 to date (1881): A stock journal, edited by E. W. Perry, published by the American Stockman Company; daily, semi-weekly, and weekly in 1880; weekly in 1881.

BIBLE CLASS SCHOLAR, 1879 to date (1881): An evangelical quarterly publication.

BOOKSELLER AND STATIONER, 1879 to date (1881): A trade monthly. J. Fred Waggoner was editor and publisher in 1879 and 1880.

BUNDES BANNER, 1879 to date (1881): A German evangelical monthly. Rev. J. D. Severinghaus was editor; Severinghaus and Company were publishers.

CARNIVAL HERALD, April 15–29, 1879. An eight-page daily, published for two weeks. Edited by Mrs. Elizabeth Boynton Harbert, and published in the interest of the Women's Christian Association, Illinois Industrial School for Girls, Chicago Women's Christian Temperance Union, Chicago Hospital for Women and Children, Half Orphan Asylum, Foundlings' Aid Society. H

CATHOLIC NEWS, 1879(?): Henry F. Donohoe was editor and publisher.

COMMERCIAL CHRONICLE, 1879(?): M. T. Lane was editor.

COMMERCIAL GRAPHIC, 1879 to date (1880): A weekly, edited and published by W. L. Fawcett.

CONDUCTOR'S MAGAZINE AND REPOSITORY, 1879(?): J. Ward Boyles was editor.

DAY SPRING, 1879(?) to date (1880): A monthly of which F. H. Revell was editor and publisher.

DRUGGIST AND PAINT AND OIL REVIEW, October, 1879–——(?): A commercial monthly. G. H. Engelhard was editor, H. H. Chandler, manager. H

FACKEL, 1879 to date: A socialist publication, the Sunday edition of the *Arbeiter-Zeitung*. The item of chief interest connected with this paper is its relation to the anarchist riots in 1886. J

FAMALJE ALTARET, 1879(?)–——(?): Rev. A. Hull was editor.

FIGARO, 1879 to date (1880): A comic paper, issued Sundays. Paul Geleff was editor and publisher.

FIREMAN'S JOURNAL, 1879(?) to date (1880): C. N. Bishop was manager.

FOLKE-VENNEN, 1879 to date: A Norwegian Lutheran monthly, published by Rev. J. Z. Torgerson, 1879–1881. It was published, 1881–1903, as a Dano-Norwegian non-sectarian weekly, by W. Mortenson and Company. Since 1903 it has been continued by the Folke-Vennen Publishing Company, with L. Crook as proprietor and editor.

MORNING HERALD, March 17, 1879–——(?): According to Moses and Kirkland, this paper introduced itself to "the Democrats of Chicago and the Northwest as a zealous champion of their principles and leaders." A copy of the first number is in the library of the Chicago Historical Society. [This is not the *Morning Herald* that was consolidated with the *Daily Telegraph*.] H

HOURS OF RECREATION, 1879–1881: A literary publication, issued monthly, except July and August. T. S. Dennison was editor and publisher in 1880. Classed as literary, but it was hardly a literary magazine, as it was made up chiefly of extracts for platform speaking and reading; plays, debates, model letters, etc.

ILLUSTRATED CHAMPION, 1879: "A journal of progress in the agricultural and mechanical arts," published without serial number by Warder, Mitchell, and Company in Springfield, Ohio, and Chicago. Its primary function was to advertise Champion binders. H

CHICAGO ILLUSTRATED NEWS, September, 1879–——(?): A semi-monthly advertising paper issued in connection with the Inter-State Industrial Exposition. Published by J. Ward Boyles. H

ILLUSTRATED TEMPERANCE TALES, 1879(?) to date (1880): Monthly. Fleming H. Revell was editor and publisher.

ILLUSTRERET FAMILIEBLAD, 1879 to date (1880). C

IRISH FREEMAN, 1879 to date (1880): Edited and published weekly by W. J. Maskell.

ISRAELITISCHE PRESSE, 1879(?) to date (1880): N. B. Ettelsohn wa blisher.

JEWEL JOURNAL, November, 1879 to date (1881): Monthly. H

LADIES' JOURNAL OF FASHIONS, 1879(?)–——(?): W. L. Crossar was manager.

LAKESIDE WATCH, 1879 to date (1880): A monthly publication, devoted to mechanics. W. C. Vosburgh was editor and publisher.

LIBRARY RECORD, October, 1879–1884(?): Published, at intervals of three weeks, in the interest of the Union Catholic Library Association. An earlier series, without serial numbers, was issued in 1876 and 1877. H

LITERARY REVIEW, April, 1879–——(?): Edited and published monthly by C. E. Walker, and intended to be a review of and an aid to the various literary societies of Chicago, of which the editor estimated there were two hundred and fifty. At the beginning of the second volume the title was changed to *Literary and Musical Review*, and a musical editor was added to the staff. H

MERCHANTS' BULLETIN, 1879(?) to date (1880): Jerome Chapman was publisher, 1879–1880.

MUSICAL BULLETIN, 1879 to date (1881). C

NATIONAL HARNESS REVIEW, 1879 to date: A monthly publication devoted to saddlery and collateral trades. In 1881 it was changed to a semi-monthly, but in January, 1899, it became a monthly paper again. Jefferson Jackson has been editor and publisher from the beginning to date. The *Review* "is the oldest exclusive harness trade journal in the world."

NEW OVERLAND TOURIST, 1879(?)–——(?): Published by the Overland Publishing Company.

NORTHWESTERN ILLUSTRATED MECHANICAL JOURNAL, 1879(?): Listed only for 1879.

PRAVDA, 1879(?)–——(?): Published by Joseph Langmayer.

RAILWAY ADVERTISING BULLETIN, August 4, 1879–——(?): A daily advertising sheet, in the form of a newspaper, distributed gratuitously on the trains of four important railroads. C. H. Shaver was editor and publisher. H

REAL ESTATE AND MINING REVIEW, 1879(?)–——(?): H. W. West was manager.

SEWING MACHINE ADVANCE, 1879 to date: A monthly, devoted to sewing machine trade interests. Established by A. M. Leslie and Walter Scates (A. M. Leslie and Company). Since the retire-

ment of Mr. Leslie in 1881, Mr. Scates has continued the publication to date.

SIGNAL, 1879 to date (1881): A weekly devoted to temperance. Mrs. Mary B. Willard was editor and publisher in 1879.

SOKOL AMERICKY, January 10, 1879 to date: A monthly paper, the official organ of the United Bohemian Gymnastic Associations in the United States. Established under the editorship of G. Reišl. Later editors have been J. Hájek and August Volenský, Jos. Čermák, Dr. K. Štulík, Ant. Haller. The editorial staff in 1904 included Dr. J. Rudiš Jiýínskč, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, managing editor; Jos. Čermák, Chicago, Ant. Haller, Chicago. With the same editorial organization, the paper has been published since the beginning of 1909 by the National Printing and Publishing Company. The title means American Falcon.

SPIRITUAL RECORD, January, 1879 to date (1880): "Published under the auspices of the First Society of Spiritualists of Chicago, containing discourses and poems through the mediumship of Mrs. Cora L. V. Richmond and other matter pertaining to the spiritual philosophy." It was published by Griffen Brothers. Collins Eaton was secretary of the society. H

WESTERN CLOTHING, FURNISHING, AND HAT REPORTER, 1879 to date (1881): Monthly, devoted to commercial interests. Charles H. Moore was editor and publisher in 1880.

WESTERN COLLEGE MAGAZINE, 1879–January, 1906+: A monthly, devoted to inter-collegiate interests. In January, 1906, the name was changed to the *American Educational Review*, and the scope of the magazine broadened to include a treatment of the progress of higher education throughout the country. The magazine is published by the American Educational Company.

WESTERN CONFECTIONER AND BAKER, January, 1879 to date: A trade monthly. This paper was started in 1875 as a price list for a supply house. It gradually developed until it passed out of the hands of the supply house, and in January, 1879, appeared as a journal of instructive matter and general news to both confectionery and baking interests. J. Thompson Gill was editor and publisher, 1879–1880. Later, the Thompson Publishing Concern bought the paper, which it has edited and published to date, with T. O. Thompson as editor and manager. For several years past it has been devoted mainly to confectionery interests. The name seems to have become *Confectioner and Baker* after some years of the paper's existence.

WESTERN DRUGGIST, 1879 to date: A monthly, devoted to pharmaceutic interests. G. P. Engelhard and Company have been editors and publishers from 1879 to date. (See *Pharmacist.*)

WESTERN EDUCATIONAL JOURNAL, 1879 to date (1881): A monthly educational journal. J. Fred Waggoner was editor and publisher in 1880.

WESTERN MAGAZINE, +1879–March, 1882+: It had been founded three years before at Omaha. Upon its being brought to Chicago, Mrs. Helen Elkin Starrett became the editor. It was, according to the sub-title, "a literary monthly." It contained departments designated as "Original" and "Eclectic," devoted to literary and historical matters; also, later, a department called the "Club," consecrated to social and economic interests. The broad and progressive policy of the magazine won general approval, and when by merging with the *Alliance* in 1882 it added Rev. David Swing to its list of regular contributors, its outlook was more than ever promising. The *Weekly Magazine* published its first number May 6, 1882, announcing that "We have believed from the first that there is need and a demand for a low-priced periodical to supply a kind of reading differing like the magazine from the newspaper in its greater deliberateness and earnestness, and yet without those qualities of cumbrousness and extensiveness common to the magazines." Although many contributors of high rank were engaged, under the same business management that ruined the *Alliance*, the new *Weekly Magazine* ended its career in bankruptcy in 1884. **WH**

WESTERN STATIONER AND PRINTER, 1879–——(?): Published by J. Sawtell Ford.

WESTERN UNDERTAKER, 1879 to date: A monthly devoted to undertaking, embalming, funeral directing, sanitation, and kindred subjects. Published by the F. H. Hill Company until it was purchased by Herbert S. Fassett, who has been editor and publisher since March, 1897.

YOUTH'S EVANGELIST AND LITTLE PREACHER, 1879(?)–——(?): A Sunday school paper. Rev. A. T. McDill was editor; Morrison, McCoy and McDill were publishers. Several scattered numbers for 1879 in the Chicago Historical Society library are included in volume 21, thus fixing the date of establishment as 1859. Since this paper is nowhere found dated earlier than 1879, it seems probable that it was founded elsewhere and moved to Chicago in the late seventies. **H**

CHILLICOTHE, PEORIA COUNTY

SUN, 1854–1855: Established by Mr. Hopkins. Issued weekly for about twelve months, when the plant was moved away.

INDEPENDENT, 1856–1861(?): Established by Samuel Jamison. After about two years Jamison was succeeded by Samuel Spellman, who continued publication two or three years, when the plant was moved away.

CITIZEN, 1867–1870+: Established by J. W. Wolff and H. Casson, Jr., who ran the paper three or four years and then turned it over to A. M. Gibbons, who changed the name to

DEMOCRAT, +1870–1872+: Conducted for about a year and a half by A. M. Gibbons, when it became

TIMES, +1872–1874+: Established by Rev. Burdick, who ran it two years. Sold to Rev. S. H. Brown, who changed the name to

CHRISTIAN GLEANER, +1874–1876: Sold to W. J. Luckens, who ran the paper until 1876.

DEMOCRATIC UNION, 1872–1873: Conducted by Bell and Wilson. Printed at the office of the Lacon *Statesman*.

REPORTER, 1874–(after 1881): Spencer Ellsworth, editor and publisher, 1875. Edited by J. L. Kennar and published by Reporter Company, 1876–1879; L. Ballou, 1880; E. A. Mitchell, 1882; Frank Andrews, 1884. Printed at the office of the Lacon *Home Journal*.

CHRISMAN, EDGAR COUNTY

ENTERPRISE, December, 1875–1876: Established by Biddlecome and Matheney. Suspended after a year.

LEADER, 1876–1878(?): Established by Jacobs and Thompson. Continued about eighteen months. Democratic.

PROGRESS, 1878: Established by Payne and Son. The elder Payne was a Baptist minister.

ADVANCE, 1879–(after 1881): Independent.

CLAY CITY, CLAY COUNTY

TIMES, 1879–(after 1881): A local paper, mentioned in Ayer's *Newspaper Directory* for 1881.

CLAYTON, ADAMS COUNTY

STANDARD, 1866 or 1867(?): Established by Captain Ben W. McCoy. The issue for November 3, 1868, is vol. 4, no. 13, and was published by T. J. Mitchell. F. K. Strother was a later owner. Strongly Republican.

————(?): A paper edited by Dr. J. W. Potter.

JOURNAL, June, 1868–1873(?): Published by O. L. and E. E. Newton. Rowell gives 1871 as date of establishment.

ADVANCE, 1872–1873: Ben W. McCoy, editor and publisher.

ENTERPRISE, May, 1878 to date: Established by Rev. P. L. Turner. In November, 1879, he was succeeded by his sons, Charles E. and Frank Turner. In 1880 they sold to F. K. Strother and Son. Turner Brothers, then Tom L. Heirs, were later owners. J. L. Staker bought the paper in —— and has conducted it ever since. Independent.

RECORD, 1879– ——(?): Owned and published by J. E. Hartman.

CLEMENT, (now HUEY) CLINTON COUNTY

REGISTER, 1863–(after 1881): A Republican paper issued from the office of the Carlyle *Union Banner*, and edited by J. W. Peterson.

CLIFTON, IROQUOIS COUNTY

WEEKLY, 1869–1870: J. Harlow, editor; Lowe and Gilson, publishers. Printed at the office of the Onarga *Review*.

WEEKLY, 1873–1875: M. B. Parmenter, editor and publisher.

REPORTER, 1875–1879: A. B. Cummings was editor and publisher in 1879. Printed at the office of the Chebanse *Herald*. Independent.

ENTERPRISE, 1877: A semi-monthly Independent paper published by the Enterprise Printing Company.

CLINTON, DEWITT COUNTY

DEWITT COURIER, 1854–1857: Established and edited by S. H. McElheney and R. A. Mills, 1854–1855; Mr. Mills and A. J. Back, 1855; Russell F. Jones, 1855; Mr. Jones, editor and Paul Watkins publisher, 1855–1856; Mr. Watkins from 1856 until it was destroyed by fire in 1857. The paper was neutral until 1855; after that time Democratic.

CENTRAL TRANSCRIPT, 1856–1862+: Edited by John R. Blackford and Isaac N. Coltrin, 1856–1857; Mr. Blackford, 1857; Mr. Coltrin and B. F. Jones, 1857–1858; Mr. Coltrin and W. DeLay, 1858–1859; Mr. Coltrin and Joe Prior, 1859–1861; Mr. Coltrin and A. J. Blackford, 1861; Mr. Coltrin and James M. DeLay, 1861–1862; M. M. DeLevis and O. F. Morrison, 1862. These men consolidated it with the Pana *Public* and changed the name to the Clinton

PUBLIC, June1, 1862–July 2, 1863+: Formed by the consolidation of the *Weekly Central Transcript* with the Pana *Public*. Messrs. M. M. DeLevis and O. F. Morrison had purchased the *Transcript*, May 30, 1862, and, moving their office of the Pana *Public* to

Clinton, June 1, 1862, they continued publication of their paper as the Clinton *Public*. Coltrin was concerned in the editing of the paper, which soon was renamed the U

DeWitt County Public and Central Transcript, +July 2, 1863–1882(?): Mr. DeLevis was sole editor and proprietor. For some time after April, 1869 a Mr. Van Slyke had a half interest, but DeLevis reassumed complete control, which he kept until March 31, 1870, when he sold out to George B. Richardson. March 1, 1872, the latter sold to Richard Butler, who was still editor and publisher in 1882. Republican in politics.

DeWitt County Democrat, 1858–1859: Edited by E. F. Campbell and E. D. King, 1858; William Fuller, 1858–1859. It was destroyed by fire. Democratic.

Vindicator, 1858: Edited by J. M. Prior in the interest of Douglas's election. Its publication ceased after the campaign.

Union, 1863: Established by Joseph M. Prior, August 20, 1863; neutral in politics. Publication was abandoned after several months.

Times, May 11, 1866–1867: Established by A. J. Bell and Thomas J. Sharp. Democratic in politics. August 17, 1866, Mr. Bell retired and Mr. Sharp continued publication until the spring of 1867, when he removed the press and material to Maroa, Macon county, and there issued the Maroa *Times*.

DeWitt Register, 1868–1870+: Established May 29, 1868, by Jason Blackford, who remained in charge until November 27, 1868; William L. Glessner, editor, and C. C. Stone, publisher, November 27, 1868–September 15, 1873; they changed the name to

Clinton Register, +1870 to date: It was continued by Glessner and F. M. Van Lue, September 15, 1873–August 7, 1874; Glessner, August 7, 1874–October 1, 1881; H. Waggoner and Son, October 1, 1881–September 28, 1885, when they were succeeded by Hughes Brothers (G. W. and Perry Hughes). N. R. Hughes succeeded Perry Hughes January 1, 1904, and the paper has been continued under the firm name of Hughes Brothers. Democratic in politics. U

Temperance Gazette, October 17, 1869–——(?).

DeWitt County Gazette, March 28, 1875: Established by Joe M. Prior. The office was closed after six months. Republican. The material was purchased at auction by Mr. Anderson, and was used by him in starting the

DEWITT COUNTY MESSENGER, 1875: After a brief existence this paper was discontinued and the office moved by Anderson to Windsor, Shelby county. Therefrom was issued May 25, 1875, the Windsor *Sentinel*.

COBDEN, UNION COUNTY

ENTERPRISE, 1877: Charles E. Judy, publisher. Independent.

COLCHESTER, McDONOUGH COUNTY

INDEPENDENT, 1873–(after 1882): H. H. Stevens was editor and publisher in 1882. Greenback, then Independent.

COLLINSVILLE, MADISON COUNTY

ARGUS, 1871–1880: The Union Publishing Company were proprietors and A. W. Angier, editor. At the end of the first volume L. D. Caulk became editor; the paper was then owned by the Collinsville Publishing Company. Caulk was succeeded by Anton Neustadt, who became editor and proprietor. In 1878 Connolly and Johnson became proprietors. In 1879 Connolly retired; in eight months publication was suspended. Republican until 1878, then Independent.

LIBERAL DEMOCRAT, 1872–1878: Started by A. W. Angier. In 1878 the presses were moved to Edwardsville. Democratic. U

WEEKLY HERALD, 1879–(after 1884): James N. Peers was the first editor and publisher. In 1882 edited by William A. Garasche; in 1884 by James N. Peers. Independent.

COMMERCE, HANCOCK COUNTY

TIMES AND SEASONS: See Nauvoo.

COMPTON, LEE COUNTY

RECORD, 1878–(after 1884): Established March (?), 1878, by E. G. Cass and J. B. Gardner. Printed at the office of the *Lee County Times*, Paw Paw. The paper has been discontinued.

CORNELLVILLE, LIVINGSTON COUNTY

VERMILLION NEWS, 1871: F. D. Dalton was editor and publisher. Printed at the office of the Streator *Monitor*. Independent.

JOURNAL, 1873: T. W. Coe was editor. Printed at the office of the Wenona *Index*.

COULTERVILLE, RANDOLPH COUNTY

CHRONICLE, 1879–1880+: Established by John A. Wall. The office equipment was brought from Pinckneyville. In 1880 it passed into the hands of Messrs. McFie and Childs, who changed the name to *Headlight*. McFie's interest was purchased by his partner.

COWDEN, SHELBY COUNTY

HERALD, 1876: J. F. Horner and Son were editors and publishers.

CRESTON, OGLE COUNTY

TIMES, 1872–1886: Established by Isaac B. Beckford, editor and publisher, who retired in 1874, and it was managed for several months by L. H. Post of the DeKalb *News*. In 1875 Dr. H. C. Robbins became editor and publisher. In 1877 he sold to D. C. Needham, who a few months later sold to Granville W. Morris. The *Times* list went to the Rochelle *Herald* in 1886. Independent.

CRETE, WILL COUNTY

ENTERPRISE, December, 1875 to date (1878): Established and conducted by C. E. Carter; later by Carter Brothers; then by Carter and Tillotson. "It is Independent in politics and religion."

DAKOTA, STEPHENSON COUNTY

FARMERS' ADVOCATE, 1873–1875: "The official organ of the Reform movement in Stephenson county." T. J. Allen was editor and publisher.

DALLAS CITY, HANCOCK COUNTY

STAR OF DALLAS, 1859–1861: Its first editor was Francis Ashton, and the second was Mr. Trueblood. It supported the nomination of Douglas for President.

HANCOCK DEMOCRAT, 1869–1872: Removed from Carthage by G. M. Child in 1869, and continued by him until his death. It was revived for a short time in 1872–1873 by J. F. Taylor.

ADVOCATE, 1875– ——(?): Established by Mason and Murphy. Sold in June, 1876, to Walter B. Loring.

SUCKER STATE, 1874: Established by Penn Harris. Only two numbers issued. Democratic.

MONITOR, ——(?)——(?): Issued by W. C. Brown. Continued for only a few months.

NEWS, April, 1878 to date (1880): An Independent paper conducted by E. H. Thomas.

DANA, LA SALLE COUNTY

LOCAL TIMES, 1874: Established by W. Pritchett. Short-lived. Republican.

HERALD, 1876 to date (1881): In 1879 edited and published by W. Pritchett; R. M. Pritchett, 1880. An edition for Dana of the Minonk (Woodford county) *Blade*.

DANVERS, McLEAN COUNTY

INDEPENDENT, March 1879– ——(?): Established by Dr. D. C. Gideon and George Bunn, editors and owners. Soon after the first issue Mr. Bunn withdrew, leaving Dr. Gideon sole editor and proprietor. Suspended before 1882.

DANVILLE, VERMILLION COUNTY

ENQUIRER, 1833–(after 1837): Its first editor appears to have been John S. Williams. In the years 1836 and 1837 Messrs. Delay and Loveless appear as editors. There is an incomplete file of this paper in the Danville Public Library. **P**

PATRIOT, about 1847: A Whig paper edited by D. Clapp. Listed in *Illinois Annual Register* for 1847.

ILLINOIS CITIZEN, 1849– ——(?): A Whig paper established by J. Hollingsworth; later it was edited by A. Y. Harrison. Mentioned in Gerhard for 1856, and in Coggeshall for the same year.

INDEPENDENT, 1856– ——(?): Among its editors were Messrs. McKinley and Blackford; J. B. McKinley; and J. E. Lemon. **P**

VERMILLION COUNTY PRESS, 1857– ——(?): Among its editors were James D. Kilpatrick, 1858; Messrs. Kilpatrick and Lemon, 1859; James D. Kilpatrick, 1859. Vols. 2 and 3 are in the Danville Public Library. **P**

SPECTATOR, 1859– ——(?): Its editor was A. J. Adams. **P**

COMMERCIAL, 1866–1903+: Edited by Park T. Martin; published by the Commercial Company. A daily edition was established in 1878. In 1882 P. C. Cronkhite was editor. In 1903 the *Commercial* was merged with the *News* as the *Commercial News* and John H. Harrison became editor. Republican. A complete file is owned by John H. Harrison. **PU**

TIMES, 1868 to date (1879): Edited and published by A. G. Smith. A daily edition was established in 1875. Independent. **PU**

ADVERTISER, 1869: A monthly advertising sheet issued by Robert C. Holton.

ARGUS, 1871–1874: Established by R. C. Holton. Edited and published by Miller and Conlin, 1873; Argus Company, 1874. Democratic.

SIEGE, 1873: Established by W. R. Jewell, editor and publisher. Republican. Semi-monthly.

NEWS, 1873–1903+: Established by W. R. Jewell and edited by him until, in 1903, the *News* and *Commercial* were merged as the *Commercial News*, with John H. Harrison as editor. Published

by the Illinois Printing Company until 1890; then by W. R. Jewell, who became sole proprietor. A daily edition was begun in 1876. P

DEUTSCHE ZEITUNG, April, 1877, to date: Established by Carl C. Winter and published and edited by him until his death in 1897, when his widow, Mrs. Anna Winter, became owner and publisher. In 1898 she sold the paper to Carl Weipert, who died in 1900. It was then bought by Walter J. Grant and M. F. Keegan. After numerous changes William E. Bryant took charge as editor and manager in 1907 and owner in 1910. Independent.

NATIONAL ERA, 1878 to date (1879): Edited and published by William E. Livengood. Greenback.

POST, 1878–——(?): Jacobs and Thompson were editors and publishers. In 1880 W. M. Bandy was editor; Danville Post Company, publishers. Democratic.

FARMERS' ADVOCATE, 1870–1871: Lyman Guinipp was editor and publisher of this short-lived advertising sheet.

MESSENGER, 1875: J. W. Biddlecome and Company were editors and publishers. Semi-monthly.

SUNDAY BOURBON, 1879: Phocian Howard was editor and publisher. Democratic.

DAVIS, STEPHENSON COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1870–1872: Edited and published by Allen and Snyder, 1871; edited by W. A. Colby, published by Colby Brothers, 1872.

BUDGET, 1873–1877: Edited and published by Stabeck and Phillips, 1874; K. T. Stabeck, editor and publisher, 1875; Stabeck Brothers, 1876. In 1877 it was published by Stabeck Brothers simultaneously at Davis and Freeport.

REPUBLICAN, 1873–1874: Established by T. A. Allen, editor and publisher.

REVIEW, 1878 to date (1879): In 1879 edited and published by S. W. Tallman.

DAVIS JUNCTION, OGLE COUNTY

ENTERPRISE, 1876: Established by S. S. Tucker and Son. Not long-lived.

DECATUR, MACON COUNTY

GAZETTE, June, 1851–1865+: Published and edited by James Shoaff, 1851–1856, during a part of the time as *Shoaff's Family Gazette*; later by A. J. Davis and Isaac N. Underwood; Mr. Davis and James P. Boyd. In 1864 Mr. Davis sold to Lewis

Cass, who took in J. J. Strong as printer — this arrangement stood one year. The *Gazette* commenced a daily issue in 1856, but soon abandoned it because it could not compete with the *Chronicle*, which circulated 500 copies gratis. In 1865 it was sold to W. J. Usrey of the *Chronicle*, and the paper appeared under the name of the *Gazette and Chronicle* until 1871, when the office was closed. Then W. L. Hammer purchased it, and in 1872 changed the name to the *Tribune* and made Mr. A. H. Corman editor. It was united with the *Magnet* in 1874. In 1856 it gave its influence to the cause of Democracy, but became Republican on the breaking out of the Civil War. Copies are owned by T. B. Shoaff, including no. 13, September, 1851. **SF**

ILLINOIS STATE CHRONICLE, 1855–1865+: Established by Charles H. Wingate and William J. Usrey. Mr. Wingate retired early. Under Messrs. Hamsher and Mosser its publication was suspended, 1862–1863, and was revived in 1863 by Mr. Usrey and J. N. Underwood. Mr. Underwood retired in 1864, and in 1865 Mr. Usrey joined it to the *Gazette*. The political purpose of the paper was to unite the remnants of the Whig and Know-Nothing parties and all other opponents of the Democratic party on one platform. In the campaign of 1856 the *Chronicle* was printed daily, and the daily issue was resumed in 1868. **H**

GAZETTE AND CHRONICLE, +July, 1865–1871: William J. Usrey was editor and publisher.

DEMOCRAT 1856–1857+: Published by leading Democrats with Eli Hosea as editor. Changed to

HERALD, +1857–——(?)+: Its editors were Elam Rust and son, George W.; W. J. Chenoweth and George W. Rust; Mr. Chenoweth and James Brent. It was removed to Pana, Illinois, by Milan S. Beckwith. **P**

MAGNET, 1858–1874: Published by P. B. Shepherd, who as editor was assisted by John Ryan; published by Henry C. Bradsby with James Shoaff as editor, 1859–1861; E. N. Buck and I. N. Underwood, 1861–1862; James Shoaff, 1862–1868;[1] Mr. Shoaff and Asa Miller, 1868–1871; Miller and Addis, 1871–1874. It was Democratic in principle from 1862 and during Mr. Shoaff's connection with it. It was consolidated with the *Tribune* in 1874 and was known as the *Magnet and Tribune*.

DAILY EMPRISE, 1859–——(?): Short-lived. Established by Messrs. Buck and Underwood. It was printed in the *Chronicle* office.

BOY ABOUT TOWN, 1864: Edited by T. B. Shoaff, published from the office of the *Magnet*. Its motto was, "The Union must be preserved," but it contained mostly local matter. It lived only

[1] A part of this time Mr. Shoaff spent in the war.

a few months. A copy dated Saturday, February 6, 1864, is owned by T. B. Shoaff of Shelbyville.

TRIBUNE, 1864–1866(?): Established by Joseph M. Prior, who sold, a half interest in 1865 to I. N. Coltrin. After several changes of ownership the office was closed in the winter of 1865–1866.

REPUBLICAN, August, 1867–1899: Established by W. M. Stanley and J. R. Mosser. Stanley sold to B. K. Hamsher in October, 1867, when the firm of Hamsher and Mosser was formed, which continued until August 26, 1899. A daily issue was begun in April 1, 1872. In 1899 its subscription list was transferred to the *Review*, which became an afternoon publication. The plant was bought by the Herald-Despatch Company. P

DEMOCRAT, July, 1868–1870+: Established as a campaign paper by a stock company, with J. H. Martin as editor. Suspended in December, but was leased by W. H. Addis and revived in May, 1869, as a permanent paper, with James M. Irwin as editor. Samuel Pike became editor and part owner in 1870, and the name was changed to

PIKE'S DEMOCRAT, +August, 1870–1871: W. H. Addis was manager, and Pike was editor until February, 1871, when he retired. The *Sunbeam* (q. v.) was absorbed May 18, 1871, and a daily issue was begun. Publication was suspended in November, 1871.

SUNBEAM, January 19–May 18, 1871: A morning daily established by Merrill and A. M. Dashiell. It was absorbed May 18 by the *Democrat.*

ILLINOIS VOLKSBLAT, July, 1871–1872: A German paper that continued but a few months. Bernhardt and Krumme were editors and publishers, 1871; T. F. Bernhardt, 1872.

ZEITUNG, ——(?)–——(?): A German paper, issued from the *Gazette and Chronicle* office, that had but brief existence.

REVIEW, April, 1872 to date: Founded by Rev. Alfred Wuench as an Independent weekly. It later became an advocate of the Granger movement, and still later was made Democratic. In 1874 Wuench leased to John Lindsey and D. J. Block; after one year Alfred F. Wuench took Block's place. W. H. Bayne bought the paper in June, 1876, and in November began a daily issue which was discontinued after two months, to be resumed on October 1, 1878. S. S. Jack bought the paper in 1880. He sold to Mize Brothers and Company, and in 1885, they to R. E. Pratt and Company, who incorporated as the Review Publishing Company in September, 1887. Files at the office, from October 1, 1878. Title was *Local Review* for several years. P

TRIBUNE, March, 1872+: The second paper of this name; started by A. H. Corman and John A. Brown, with W. L. Hammer as part owner. It was consolidated in 1874 with the *Magnet*, and became

MAGNET AND TRIBUNE, +June, 1874–1875+: It was published by the Magnet and Tribune Company, composed of Asa Miller, A. H. Corman, George Sylvester, and W. L. Hammer. Miller was editor, and the paper was Democratic in politics. Daily and weekly. It became the

TRIBUNE, +March–December, 1875: Published by the Decatur Tribune Company, with L. M. Andrews as editor and financial manager until 1875. S. S. Jack was editor in 1875; the paper changed hands several times and was suspended at the end of the year. It was Democratic, but fairly Independent in tone.

WEEKLY SUN, February, 1875: Established by Leonidas H. Tupper, who sold to G. F. Kimball.

TIMES, January, 1876–1877: Established by S. S. Jack and G. F. Kimball as the Decatur Times Company. After four months Kimball bought out Jack and abandoned the daily. It was published semi-weekly through the campaign of 1876. It was merged in the *Sun* in April, 1877. Independent with Democratic tendencies. Daily and weekly.

WHIP AND SPUR, May–November, 1876: A campaign paper issued by G. F. Kimball from the *Times* office to present the ideas of the Greenback party. It dealt largely in personalities.

TEMPERANCE BUGLE, September, 1876: Another ephemeral paper issued by G. F. Kimball.

SUN, January, 1877–1879: A daily established by Alfred F. Wuench and Howard Montressor, who continued it until April, when they sold to G. F. Kimball. In May, 1879, he leased the establishment to Joseph Prior and Alfred F. Wuench, who changed its political tone to Republican. They abandoned it in July and sold the outfit to Kimball.

DEMOCRATIC ERA, July–October, 1877: Edited and published by G. F. Kimball and John Lindsey.

SATURDAY HERALD, October, 1879–1880+: Established by C. N. Walls. Independent. In February, 1880, it was bought by H. W. Rowell and W. H. Addis, who made its politics Republican. V. N. Hostetler and E. S. Ela leased the plant in October, 1880, and started the *Daily Herald*, February, 1880 to date. A Republican paper. In August, 1881, Ela sold to F. H. Hall. In March, 1890, Hostetler purchased Hall's interest and the *Herald* was united with the *Despatch*. The Herald-Despatch

Company was organized and published the paper under the name *Daily Herald-Despatch* until 1899, when Owen Scott, W. F. Calhoun, and B. K. Hamsher purchased Hostetler's interest and changed the name back to *Daily Herald*, under which name it has since been published. As a part of this transaction, Calhoun and Hamsher, who owned the Republican, suspended its publication, transferring the machinery to the *Herald* and the subscription list to the *Daily Review*. The *Herald* also absorbed the daily *News* about the same time. In 1904 F. S. Dodd purchased B. K. Hamsher's interest, and later in the same year, F. S. Dodd and W. F. Calhoun purchased Owen Scott's interest.

DE KALB, DE KALB COUNTY

WESTERN WORLD AND DEKALB REVIEW, October 2, 1857–1860: A Republican paper edited and published by Lindley M. Andrews. F

DE KALB COUNTY SENTINEL, 1859–1861(?): Copies in the Sycamore Public Library.

CHRONICLE, 1879 to date: Edited by Clinton Rosette, 1879 to date Published by D. W. Tyrell and Company, 1879; J. F. Glidden and later J. F. Glidden Publishing Company, July, 1879 to date. Advocated "free trade, a uniform currency, state rights and personal liberty," and is still Democratic.

DE KALB COUNTY NEWS, 1867–(after 1882): Aaron K. Stiles was editor, J. J. Bassett publisher, in 1869; L. H. Post, 1870 to after 1882. Apparently discontinued about 1883. Republican. Copies in the Sycamore Public Library. U

BARB CITY TELEGRAPH, 1877–(before 1881): Barb City Publishing Company is given as editors and publishers in Rowell for 1879. Neutral.

DELAVAN, TAZEWELL COUNTY

ADVERTISER, 1868 to date: Established by C. R. Fisk and continued till the death of Fisk, which occurred in December, 1869. Revived in April, 1870, by John Culbertson and still conducted by him. Under Fisk the paper was Independent in politics; in the campaign of 1872 it supported Charles O'Connor for president, and has since continued Democratic, although it has not supported Bryan. Files in the office of the Chicago Newspaper Union. U

INDEPENDENT, 1869–1873: C. B. Ketcham was editor and publisher in 1869–1873.

REPUBLICAN, 1869(?)–——(?): Weekly.

TIMES, September, 1874–(after 1884): Established by Joe F. Reed, who later sold to Guy Beatty. In 1882 it was run by Boyd and Quidley; in 1884 by A. C. Boyd. It was absorbed by the *Press*. Republican. U

DE SOTO, JACKSON COUNTY

FARMER, 1855–1857: Edited by James Hull, 1855–1856; John A. Hull, 1856–1857. The latter editor moved it to Carbondale as the *Transcript* (which see).

DES PLAINES, COOK COUNTY

COOK COUNTY RECORD, 1878–1880: Edited by F. W. Hoffman; published by Record Publishing Company.

DIXON, LEE COUNTY

TELEGRAPH, May, 1851 to date: Founded by Charles R. Fisk, who retired soon after. The paper had a number of owners for a few weeks. It was taken charge of in the fall of 1851 by B. F. Shaw,[1] and purchased early in 1852 by John V. Eustace. The latter became editor and Mr. Shaw publisher. April, 1854, Mr. Eustace retired and Mr. Shaw became sole proprietor and continued so until 1859. He was part owner most of the time from 1859 until 1870, when he again became editor, and continued editor and proprietor until his death, September 18, 1909. In 1857 the *Telegraph* was combined with the *Republican* for a few months. (See *Republican*.) In December, 1869, the Dixon *Weekly Herald* was merged with the *Telegraph*, which retained its name. In November, 1883, the *Evening Telegraph* was begun by B. F. Shaw and continued until his death. The weekly edition of the *Telegraph* became semi-weekly in 1899, with B. F. Shaw as editor, and his son Eustace Shaw as publisher; the latter died September 5, 1902. Republican in politics. H

TRANSCRIPT, 1854–1857+: Established by Charles Allen. Published in 1856 by Stevens and Johnson. After several changes of ownership, it became the *Republican* in 1857. It had been Democratic in politics.

REPUBLICAN, 1857–1859+: Published by Beckwith and Legget. It was joined to the *Telegraph* with Shaw and Beckwith as proprietors. Subsequently it passed under the management of I. S. Boardman and Company for a few months.

[1] B. F. Shaw was in the newspaper business in Illinois, except for about six months, from 1848 to 1909. In 1848 he began as an apprentice in the office of the *Rock Island Advertiser*, where he remained until the spring of 1851, when he took charge of the *Dixon Telegraph and Lee County Herald*, as editor and publisher. His connection with that paper is indicated above. He was active as editor until a short time before his death, September 18, 1909.

DAILY WHISPER, June, 1855: Established by John D. Mackay. A small sheet issued irregularly, and for only a short time.

FREMONTER, July–November, 1856: A Republican campaign paper conducted by James H. Boyd, George Hudson, and B. F. Shaw.

MONITOR, 1858–1859: Published by Charles Meigs. Failed in November, 1858. E. B. Styles, J. V. Eustace and L. W. Atherton then bought the paper and prolonged its existence until 1859.

ADVERTISER, 1858–1859: Edited by Eustace, Styles, and Atherton. Some time within his proprietorship of the *Telegraph* Boardman and Company purchased the press and material of the *Advertiser*.

WEEKLY HERALD, February, 1868–1869: Established by A. C. Bardwell. December, 1869, it was united with the *Telegraph*. Mr. Bardwell retired in June, 1871, having served for a time after the combination as editor of the *Telegraph*, and being succeeded by B. F. Shaw.

LEE COUNTY DEMOCRAT, July, 1868–1872+: Established by E. Giles. S. C. Postlewait was first editor and subsequently proprietor. W. M. Kennedy became proprietor and Eugene Pinckney, editor, November, 1871. It was changed to the

SUN, March 5, 1872 to date: Established by W. M. Kennedy. After his death his widow, Inez Kennedy, conducted the paper until January, 1894, when she sold to J. T. Day. T. W. and E. C. Fuller became proprietors November 3, 1895; they sold to the Dixon Sun Company, October, 1906. Daily started December 23, 1893–February 24, 1894; October 15, 1894, to date. Weekly, changed to semi-weekly November, 1899. Democratic. **SU**

LIFE IN DIXON, December, 1868–——(?): Established by James H. Boyd. Noah Brooks, W. W. Curtiss, Jason C. Ayers and B. F. Shaw were contributors.

ROCK RIVER FARMER, January, 1871–1875+: Established by W. M. Kennedy. William H. Von Epps and W. B. Raynor were successive editors. Monthly. Changed to

WESTERN FARMER, +June, 1875–1883(?): In 1879 W. M. Kennedy was editor and publisher. Discontinued between 1882 and 1884. Monthly. **HU**

DOLTON, COOK COUNTY

DOLTON–RIVERDALE REVIEW, 1875–——(?): Charles A. Feistcorn was editor and publisher. Issued from the office of the Blue Island *Herald*.

DUNDEE, KANE COUNTY

ADVOCATE, 1859–——(?): Established by E. J. Farnum. Short-lived.

WEEKLY, 1866–1871: Established by P. D. Swick; succeeded by C. P. Thew and R. B. Brickley.

STAR, 1867–——(?): Established by P. D. Swick, who was editor and publisher in 1869.

REPUBLICAN, ——(?)–——(?): Mentioned in Rowell for 1869 with no report. Listed by Cook and Coburn, 1869, as a weekly.

CITIZEN, 1875–1876+: Formerly the Algonquin *Citizen*. Established by George Earlie. Removed to Elgin and later published as Elgin *Free Press*.

RECORD, 1877–——(?): Issued by S. L. Taylor. The editor, Dr. E. T. Cleveland, purchased the paper, and continued it for several years before it died.

DUNLEITH, JO DAVIESS COUNTY

COMMERCIAL ADVERTISER, June, 1857–May, 1861: The first five numbers were printed by Flaver Brothers in Dubuque. After August 12, printed by E. R. Paul in Dunleith, with Flaver Brothers still partly interested. They soon sold to J. R. Flynn. He soon retired, leaving Paul sole owner. United with the Galena *Courier*.

DuQUOIN, PERRY COUNTY

MINING JOURNAL, 1858–——(?): Edited by Paul Watkins. At first it was Republican in sentiment but became Democratic under the proprietorship of Alonzo Bennett. Its publication was suspended during the war.

TRIBUNE, 1863 to date: Established by A. J. Alden, and published for several years by Alden and Berry. In 1867 this paper "absorbed" the *Recorder*, and for about six months the combination was known as *Tribune and Recorder*. Then the name *Tribune* was reassumed. In 1870 Alden's interest was sold to J. T. Beem and C. P. Richards; in 1874 Berry retired; in 1887 John T. Beem became sole owner and editor and remains so. Republican. Files in the office.

STARS AND STRIPES, 1864–1865+: Edited and published by J. D. Mondy. After a few weeks George O. Ash and A. B. Bennett took charge of the paper. In eight months they were succeeded by W. A. Ballard and Company — J. E. Bowen was the "Company." In eight months more Bowen retired, and Ballard changed the name to

RECORDER, +1865–1867+: In 1867 sold to R. Berry, who formed a partnership with A. J. Alden of the *Tribune*, and the two were consolidated.

PROGRESS, 1865–1868(?): Established by J. E. Bowen. At Bowen's death in 1868 the paper was published for a short time by his brother, Frank Bowen. The office was afterward sold and removed to Pinckneyville. Democratic.

REPUBLICAN, 1871–1873: Established by Messrs. Kimball and Taylor of Belleville. Frank R. O'Neil was editor and manager. In 1873 it failed simultaneously with the Union Newspaper Company of Belleville, of which Kimball and Taylor were proprietors.

NEWS, 1874–1875: Established by Thomas K. Willoughby. Independent. In 1875 it was removed to Pinckneyville. (See *Independent*.)

PERRY COUNTY PRESS, 1879–1882: L. B. Laurence was editor; Curlee Brothers were publishers.

DURAND, WINNEBAGO COUNTY

WINNEBAGO COUNTY ADVERTISER, 1869: Established by M. G. Sheldon.

PATRIOT, 1875 to date (1879): In 1879 it was edited and published by Charles E. Griswold. Independent, then Republican in politics.

ENTERPRISE, 1875: J. Noonan Phillips and Henry Rulison were editors; J. N. Phillips was publisher.

DWIGHT, LIVINGSTON COUNTY

STAR, 1868 to date: Established by C. M. Palmer, who was editor and publisher until at least 1879. In 1891 William G. Dustin became editor. In 1893 the subscription list of the *Herald*, a new paper, was purchased, and the name changed to *Star and Herald*. In 1906 it was owned by William G. Dustin and A. S. Holbrook. In the firm of Dustin and Holbrook, the former is editor, the latter publisher. Republican in politics. Files in office.

WESTERN POSTAL REVIEW, 1875–1883(?): In 1879 H. A. Kenyon was editor; C. L. Palmer, publisher. Suspended between 1882 and 1884. Monthly. H

COMMERCIAL, 1877 to date (1881): In 1879 C. M. Cyrus was editor and publisher.

COURIER, 1869(?)–——(?): Weekly.

EARLVILLE, LA SALLE COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1868–1883: Established and edited by C. B. Signor; continued until 1883. Republican.

TRANSCRIPT, 1875 or 1876: Established and edited by Alonzo J. Grover, who made it "the vehicle for all his favorite ideas on human progress and elevation," thus winning a "national reputation" for what was "only a local paper." It lived three or four years.

EAST ST. LOUIS, ST. CLAIR COUNTY

AMERICAN BOTTOM GAZETTE, 1841–1844: Edited by Sumrix and Jarrott. The office was destroyed by a flood in 1844.[1]

SUNDAY HERALD, May, 1865: Established by James L. Fawcett and issued on Saturdays.

GAZETTE, June, 1866 to date: Established by John B. Bowman and controlled by him until his death, November, 1885; edited and published by John Macauley and Joseph Crabb. Crabb soon sold to Louis Straub. In 1871 a stock company bought the paper, which was conducted by William O'Neil, editor and publisher. John Macauley became publisher in 1873; he also edited the paper with the assistance of James W. Kirk. In 1874 William O'Neil again controlled the paper, with James W. Kirk as editor. John Haps published and James W. Kirk edited it in 1876. H. D. O'Brien was editor and publisher from 1877 to 1880. Established as a weekly; a tri-weekly was begun in 1876, and a daily was published for a short time in 1877. It is now published as a weekly by John H. Suess. U

HERALD, 1869(?)–——(?): Given in the 1869 Rowell directory.

PEOPLE'S GAZETTE, 1871–1872+: Owned and published by a stock company, with various members as editor until 1872, when a Mr. Saltiel acquired it and changed the name to

PRESS, +1872–1877: Saltiel was succeeded by W. B. Fairchild. He yielded to Mr. Smith in 1874, and in 1875 H. D. O'Brien bought it. In 1877 he merged it in the *Gazette*. A daily was issued for a few months in 1874. U

NATIONAL STOCK YARD REPORTER, November, 1873–1874: Established by John Haps and Company. Only three numbers were published in 1873. It was revived to the extent of two numbers in 1880.

ST. CLAIR TRIBUNE, February, 1875–1876: Established by Willis E. Finch and Brother. "Republican, Protestant and Progressive." Discontinued after one year.

ST. LOUIS RAILWAY WORLD, 1876–1877: Established by H. D. O'Brien, who after a year sold to a similar publication in St. Louis, Missouri.

[1] See Illinoistown and footnote, p. 202.

THE NATIONAL, August, 1878: A paper established by Archibald A. Hamilton to advocate financial reform, especially theories of fiat money. Short-lived.

THE FUTURE GREAT, 1878: An amateur paper, established by Sikking and Jackiven. Popular, but short-lived.

DOT PAPER, 1878: A short-lived imitation of the Carl Pretzel ideal of journalism.

HERALD, March, 1878–(after 1895): Established by Harney and Tissier; edited by Maurice F. Tissier from 1883– ——(?). Democratic.

WESTERN LIVE STOCK JOURNAL, July, 1879– ——(?): Established by H. D. O'Brien, with Y. M. Langdon as editor and part owner. In 1880 Langdon bought O'Brien's interest, and in 1881 sold it to S. J. E. Rawling. Apparently discontinued before 1882.

EDWARDSVILLE, MADISON COUNTY

SPECTATOR, 1819–1826: Edited by Hooper Warren, assisted by George Churchill, 1819–1825; Thomas Lippincott and Jeremiah Abbott, 1825–1826. It was the third paper published in the State. The *Spectator* strongly opposed the convention of 1824. "It was the first distinctively anti-slavery paper ever published in the State."[1] Vol. 3, no. 141, February 19, 1822, is in the office of the *Republican*. The last number was issued October 20, 1826. **EMHA**

STAR OF THE WEST, 1822–1823+: Published by Miller and Stine, who represented the leading Democratic citizens of the place. It was the fourth paper then published in the State — these in the order of establishment were the *Intelligencer*, Vandalia; *Gazette*, Shawneetown; *Spectator* and *Star of the West*, Edwardsville. After six months the *Star of the West* went into the hands of Thomas J. McGuire and Company, who issued the **M**

ILLINOIS REPUBLICAN, +1823–July 28, 1824: Like the *Star of the West*, the *Republican* was pro-slavery. During the convention contest, April, 1822, to August, 1824, Judge Theophilus W. Smith and Emanual J. West were the leading editors, who endeavored to counteract the influence of the *Spectator*. **SM**

ILLINOIS CORRECTOR, 1827–1828: Edited by R. K. Fleming, who, in 1828, moved back to Kaskaskia and published the *Reporter*. It was a pro-slavery paper and strongly supported Jackson for president. **H**

CRISIS, April 14–February, 1831+: Edited by S. S. Brooks; evidently the mouthpiece of Theophilus W. Smith.[2] After thirty-four numbers the name was changed to **H**

[1] Washburn, *Edwards Papers*, 329n.

[2] *See* Sidney Breeze to Ninian Edwards, in Washburn, *Edwards Papers*, 544.

ILLINOIS ADVOCATE, +February, 1831–1832+: Established, edited, published by John York Sawyer and Jonathan Angevine, the establishment passed into the hands of John York Sawyer. J. Angevine was associated with Mr. Sawyer for a year. When Mr. Angevine retired, William Peach became a partner, Sawyer removed the establishment in December, 1832, to Vandalia, the State capital. Mr. Sawyer merged the *Western Plowboy* in the *Advocate*, and in 1839 the paper was removed to Springfield. Sturdily Democratic-Republican in politics (See *State Register*.) **HM**

WESTERN PLOUGHBOY, January 1, 1831–January 17, 1832: An agricultural paper edited and published by John York Sawyer, and issued semi-monthly, except that one month elapsed between the second and third numbers. Twenty-five numbers of eight two-column pages were issued, after which the paper was merged in the *Advocate*, one page of which was thereafter given up to such agricultural matters as had previously appeared in the *Ploughboy*. This was the second agricultural paper issued west of the Alleghanies; it was the first in Illinois. "When it is recollected that only one agricultural paper (the *Western Tiller*) is printed west of the Alleghanies, and that most of the works on agriculture treat generally on the manner of *improving* the soil rather than selecting the most profitable *crop*, it will be seen that we have engaged in no trifling affair." (Item, March 12, 1832.) The paper was printed by S. S. Brooks in the *Advocate* office. A file, lacking the first number, is in the library at the University of Illinois. **MU**

WESTERN WEEKLY MIRROR, 1838–1840+: Edited by James Ruggles, and devoted to the introduction and propagation of a universal language. Changed to

SOVEREIGN PEOPLE, +1840–1841: Edited by James Ruggles.

MADISON COUNTY RECORD, 1850–1851: The first editors and publishers were Dallam and Ruggles; next Ruggles and L. E. Smith; next Smith and David Gillespie, under whom its publication ceased. Ruggles went to Henry, Marshall county, and founded the *Courier* (which see).

MADISON COUNTY ENQUIRER, 1853–1856: Edited by Theodore Terry. Democratic. It was suspended for a time and appeared again as the *Press*.

MADISON ADVERTISER, 1856–1865+: Founded by James R. Brown, who after four issues sold to O. C. Dake. His successors were Joseph L. Krafft; William G. Pinckart; Frank Springer, 1861–1862; Thompson and Dunnegan; Thompson alone, December, 1861–1865; and Whitman and Crabb. Whig. Changed to

MADISON COUNTY COURIER, +October 12, 1865–1869: Published by J. D. Whitman and Mr. Crabb. Crabb soon retired and J. D. Whitman published the paper alone until October 5, 1869, when he suspended publication and sold the material to S. V. Crossman.

WEEKLY MADISON PRESS, August 17, 1858–1862: This paper was established and published by Theodore Terry and James R. Brown. Brown retired December 15, 1858. It favored Democracy. There is a partial file in office of *Intelligencer*.

INTELLIGENCER, November 12, 1862 to date: Named for the *Illinois Intelligencer* and published by James R. Brown and Henry C. Barnsback, with George B. Burnett, editor. After four months Barnsback retired. Brown continued the paper until his death in 1882, and made it the spokesman of his party in Madison county. In January, 1883, the paper was purchased by Charles Boeschenstein, who merged with it the Highland *Herald*, which he published at Highland. He issued the *Intelligencer* weekly until January, 1893, when it appeared semi-weekly. Beginning January, 1903, it was issued every other day, and in January, 1907, it was made a daily. Files of the *Intelligencer* and partial files of the *Madison Press* are in the office.

REPUBLICAN, July 1, 1869 to date: Established and published by S. V. Crossman until his death in July, 1875; afterward one year by the S. V. Crossman Printing Company, R. B., T. M. and W. R. Crossman; two years by O. S. Reed and Company; purchased July 1, 1879, by sons of the founder, T. M. and W. R. Crossman, and operated by them until September, 1907, when W. R. Crossman purchased interest of T. M. Crossman. Weekly until March 1, 1907, when it was changed to a twice-a-week edition. For a short time beginning July 16 or 17, 1876, it was published daily. Has been Republican since its founding. Files at the office.

MADISON COUNTY BOTE, +1869–1873: A continuation of Highland *Bote*, removed by B. E. Hoffman from Highland. In 1870 sold to E. G. Wolf and Frank Haag. In 1873 publication was suspended; the material reverted to Mr. Hoffman who sold it to Captain Anthony Neustadt of Collinsville. German, Democratic.

OUR TIMES, October 2, 1872–1881: A. W. Angier and T. S. Angier were editors and publishers. In 1881 it was sold to Messrs. Price and Simcox. In a month or so Price withdrew, and in another month Simcox took E. W. Anderson as a partner. In three months the latter retired. In two months Simcox sold a half-interest to Joseph S. Umberger. In May, 1881, the name was

changed to Edwardsville *Times*, 1881–1882. In 1882 Ansel L. Brown purchased the paper and changed the name to *Democrat*. A. L. Brown is still editor.

MADISON COUNTY ANZEIGER, May 7, 1875–1879: A German paper published by C. Lohmann and Son, with C. Lohmann as editor. In 1878 H. C. Lohmann retired; Mr. Lohmann, Sr., continued the paper for but a short time thereafter. A paper bearing the same name was established in 1881. At first Independent, but in 1876 Republican.

EFFINGHAM, EFFINGHAM COUNTY

PIONEER, +1860–1861+: Moved from Ewington by J. W. Filler. Sold to Dr. T. G. Vandever in April, 1861, who combined it with the

GAZETTE, +April, 1860–1861+: Established by L. M. Rose, who soon sold to Vandever. The two papers fuse in the

UNIONIST, +October, 1861–1862+: At first run by Filler and Vandever; then by Vandever. Bought in 1862 by John Hoeny, who reverted to the title

GAZETTE, +1862–1865+: Burned out in October, but soon continued. In 1864(?) L. Hommes became associated with Hoeny, and the paper was published half English, half German for six months. In 1865 Hoeny sold to Hays and Bowen, who changed the name to

EFFINGHAM COUNTY DEMOCRAT, +1865–1868+: Filler resumed control in 1865, and continued until 1868, when the office was sold to H. C. Bradsby, who changed the name to

DEMOCRAT, +1868 to date: In April, 1870, Bradsby sold to J. C. Brady; Hoeny again owned the paper awhile; then Hoeny and George M. LeCrone; then LeCrone and Owen Scott; then Scott alone. George M. LeCrone bought the paper again and is still editor and publisher.

REGISTER, November, 1864–1872: Established by William Haddock, who conducted the *Register* as a Republican paper for eight years. He supported Greeley for president in 1872, which cost him the suspension of his paper in October of that year. He moved the office to Champaign and started the *Times*.

REPUBLICAN, August, 1872 to date: Established by M. B. and Elgin Martin at the instigation of those Republicans who were out of sympathy with the *Register*. Sold in October, 1873, to H. C. Painter, who conducted it until some time in the '80s by a Mr. Gowell; sold in 1892 to Effingham Printing Company, with R. F. Lawson as editor; sold in 1898 to Sumner Clark, with Homer Clark as editor. U

VOLKSBLATT, June, 1878 to date: A German paper edited by A. Gravenhorst. Until October, 1882, it was printed in Milwaukee. A. H. Gravenhorst became part owner in 1895 and the paper has since then been conducted by A. Gravenhorst and Son. Democratic.

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS FARMER, 1879–1881: J. P. M. Howard was editor; J. P. M. Howard, Son and Company, publishers. A monthly publication.

ELDORADO, SALINE COUNTY

JOURNAL, 1874 to date (1875): Edited and published in 1875 by A. J. Alden. It was printed at the office of the Vienna *Johnson County Journal.*

ELGIN, KANE COUNTY

WESTERN CHRISTIAN, 1845–(after 1849): A Baptist and anti-slavery paper, published by a stock company and edited by Rev. A. J. Joslyn, Rev. Wareham Walker, and Spencer Carr. Removed to New York. **HF**

GAZETTE, 1847–1874+: Established by Eliphalet Owen. A strong paper that "held the local field against all comers." In early years much attention was given to religion and literature. Zenos Eastman was publisher for awhile and W. R. Finch one of the editors. George H. Daniels was also connected with it. It had much influence in the early days of the Republican party, of the principles of which party it was a vigorous advocate. Merged with the *Advocate* May 30, 1874. **EHANF**

FOX RIVER COURIER, 1851–1852: A Whig paper that had but a short existence. **NW**

ILLINOIS WEEKLY PALLADIUM, 1853–1856+: Edited by a Mr. Hough, 1853; H. A. Hough and J. H. Rowe, 1854; Gerhard gives Rowe and Joslyn as publishers in 1856. Name changed to

KANE COUNTY JOURNAL, +1856: Sold to Lyman and Smith and soon discontinued.

CAMPAIGN OBSERVER, 1858: A Democratic campaign paper, edited by a lawyer named Grosoevor and a Mr. Willis. It was printed in Chicago.

SECOND DISTRICT DEMOCRAT, 1863–1865+: Published by Benjamin W. Staniforth and edited by Edward Keogh. Changed in 1865 to

CHRONICLE, +1865–1868+: Democratic. Published by Edward Keogh until 1867, when it was sold to E. C. Kincaid. He changed its name to

WATCHMAN, +1868–——(?): Under this name it was continued for two or three years as a Republican paper.

ADVOCATE, 1871 to date: Established by Stephen L. Taylor. Absorbed the *Gazette* in 1874. Sold to A. H. Lowrie in 1882 and later consolidated with the *Daily News*. Both the *Advocate* and the *News* are now published by Lowrie and Black. A daily edition was begun in 1881. Republican. **HU**

LADY ELGIN, 1872–1878: A monthly publication devoted to the interests of watch factory workers. Edited and published by Bertha H. Ellsworth, Alida V. Able, and Lydia A. Richards.

DIAL, 1872(?)–——(?): A monthly devoted to watch factory interests. Short-lived; a contemporary of *Lady Elgin*. **D**

TIMES, 1874–——(?): Edward Keogh was owner and editor. The paper became a daily in 1875. It was successively Democratic, Greenback, and Independent, and survived several years. **U**

INFORMER, 1874–1877(?): A monthly publication "devoted to peace, temperance, purity, and health," by Amasa Lord. Not extant in 1878.

GOSPEL TRUMPET, 1874–——(?): A monthly publication, not extant in 1878.

DAILY BLUFF CITY, 1874–1878: The first daily paper in Elgin. Established by Dudley Randall; Christie Brothers were its last owners, during a part of which ownership, Charles E. Gregory was editor, succeeded by W. J. Anderson. Consolidated with *News* April 22, 1878. Republican. **U**

REPUBLIC, 1874–1877+: Established and edited by George E. Earlie. Issued a daily through the campaign. Sold in 1877 to Dr. C. Stoddard Smith and renamed

FREE PRESS, +1877: It was soon discontinued.

DAILY DUD, 1875: A short-lived paper started by Dudley Randall after he had closed his connection with the *Daily Bluff City*.

NEWS, 1876 to date: Established chiefly by Carlos H. Smith. Sold in 1880 to John K. LeBaron, after various changes in management, and in September, 1883, the *Advocate* (the daily edition of which had a little previously been discontinued) and the *Daily News* were consolidated and for a time published by Lowrie and LeBaron. LeBaron had been conducting the *Dollar Weekly News* and the *Semi-Weekly Envoy* in connection with the *Daily News*. Lowrie soon became sole owner of both *Advocate* and *News;* in 1886 S. J. Tomlinson bought a half interest. He sold in 1887 to Willis B. Black, who with Mr. Lowrie continues the publication. Republican. **P**

INFORMER, January, 1876–——(?): A monthly reform paper, edited by Amasa Lord and a staff of department editors. Devoted to health, temperance, religion, agriculture, etc. U

TIMES, 1875–——(?): Daily.

GLOCKE, 1878–——(?): A German weekly of which Joseph Bischoff was editor and publisher. It had been discontinued before 1881.

NEW ERA, 1878: W. D. RINGLAND was editor and publisher. The paper was short-lived.

LEADER, 1878–1884+: Removed to Elgin from St. Charles by Hiram N. Wheeler, later of Quincy. Sold to J. N. Wheeler, who changed the name to *Morning Frank*. In 1884 it was bought by Will S. Doherty and H. D. Hemmens and the name changed to *Courier*, Republican. Doherty died in 1886 and Hemmens conducted the paper until 1903, when the Courier Publishing Company was organized by him and others, and Albert L. Hall was made editor and manager. In July, 1909, Ira C. Copley bought the paper and merged with it the *Press*, which he already owned. Daily and weekly; Democratic.

ELIZABETHTOWN, HARDIN COUNTY

HARDIN MINERAL, 1870–1871: Solomon S. Burke, then S. S. Burke and Son were editors and publishers.

HARDIN GAZETTE, 1871–(after 1882): Edited by James A. Lowry, published by E. E. Welch, 1873–1874; edited and published by James A. Lowry, 1875–——(?). At first Democratic; afterward neutral. Apparently discontinued in 1883.

ELMWOOD, PEORIA COUNTY

OBSERVER AND PEORIA COUNTY ADVERTISER, January 6, 1858–——(?): Established by John Regan. F

CHRONICLE, 1861–1871+: O. F. Woodcock was editor and publisher in 1869–1870. Republican. Changed to

CHRONICLE AND HERALD, +1871–1872+: By 1873 it was changed back to

CHRONICLE, +1873: Edited by Davison and Son. Republican.

MESSENGER, 1874–1902: John Regan was editor and publisher until after 1884; J. B. Sprawls, 1892; Louis E. O'Brien, 1895. Discontinued August 28, 1902. Republican. U

INDUSTRIAL JOURNAL, 1874 to date (1875): Published by J. A. and J. L. Somerby.

GAZETTE, +1879 to date: Established by Robert E. Miller in Brimfield in 1875, and moved by him to Elmwood, where it was first

issued July 10, 1879. It was soon sold to W. E. Phelps, who in July, 1883, sold to M. H. Spence, the present editor and publisher.

EL PASO, WOODFORD COUNTY

GAZETTE, February 1, 1863–——(?): Established by Robert Cauch. Probably short-lived.

JOURNAL, April 5, 1865 to date: Established by John S. Harper, who in a short time gave way to J. W. Wolfe. By 1868 William H. Addis and Brother were editors and publishers; E. F. Baldwin and Gershom Martin took the plant in December, 1868; Baldwin withdrew, March 30, 1871; then on October 10, 1872, he supplanted Martin. J. B. Barnes became a partner in 1874. Irving Carrier and H. R. Coleman succeeded Baldwin and Barnes; W. G. Randall replaced Carrier January 1, 1879. In 1883 A. L. Hereford became owner. W. D. Meek bought a half interest in 1884, and the other half in 1885. He sold to A. O. Rupp in 1887, and Rupp to G. R. Curtiss February 11, 1889. R. J. Evans became a partner next day. Evans retired in September, 1904, and G. R. Curtiss has continued sole owner, editor and publisher.

PATRIOT: A paper published in the '60s by a Mr. Fiske.

ENFIELD, WHITE COUNTY

JOURNAL, 1874–——(?): A weekly established by Lemuel Potter. The same year it was purchased by Odell and Houser. Odell retired in 1875. The paper was soon discontinued.

OPEN DOOR, +May, 1879: Formerly the *Golden Rule*, established in the interest of the General Baptist Church, published by Elder John E. Cox. An advocate of open communion. Semi-monthly.

ENGLEWOOD, COOK COUNTY

SOUTH SIDE RECORD, 1875–1876: I. L. Vansant was editor; Vansant and Company were publishers.

ERIE, WHITESIDE COUNTY

BULLETIN, 1874–1877: Established by John Spaulding. H. K. Wells bought the paper and published it for about two years.

INDEPENDENT, 1878 to date: Established by George W. Guernsey. Bought in 1885 by W. M. Patrick, and in 1889 by C. D. Hannon, the present owner and editor. Files from 1889 at the office. Files before that date destroyed.

EUREKA, WOODFORD COUNTY

CHRISTIAN HERALD, 1864–(after 1869): A monthly, edited and published in 1869 by Dudley Downs and John W. Karr.

WOODFORD JOURNAL, 1868 to date: Established as an Independent paper by John W. Karr. Bought in 1874 by Robert N. Radford, who sold an interest to E. J. Davidson in 1881; Radford and Davidson were editors and publishers until 1892, when the paper was sold to B. J. Radford, Sr. In 1899 he bought the *Democrat* from F. A. Shafer and combined the two as *Democrat-Journal*, which had been edited and published since that time by his three sons, W. M., C. T., and B. J. Radford, Jr., and his nephew, C. A. Radford. August 1, 1909, the management was turned over to B. J. Radford, Jr., by C. A. Radford. *Woodford* was dropped from the title in 1877. Democratic.

EVANSTON, COOK COUNTY

SUBURBAN IDEA, 1864: Established by Rev. Nathan Sheppard as a local paper. Continued for one year.

EVANSTONIAN, 1870: Edited and published by Frank Leland. Short lived.

TRIPOD, January, 1871–1881: A monthly edited and published by the literary societies of Northwestern. United with *Vidette* in 1881 to form *Northwestern*.

REAL ESTATE NEWS, 1871–1873: Published at irregular intervals by L. C. Pitner.

INDEX, June 8, 1872 to date: Established by Alfred L. Sewell. Printed in Chicago until June, 1873. In November, 1875, John A. Childs and David Cavan bought the paper; and in January, 1878, Childs became sole proprietor. The Evanston Index Company was formed January 1, 1887, with Mr. Childs as controlling stockholder. Albert H. Bowman became connected with the paper in 1903; he sold stock to Childs in 1908. James R. Paul has been editor since 1906. P U

LAKE BREEZE, May, 1874–April, 1875: A literary college monthly, published by Harry W. Taylor, for one year. Files owned by Evanston Historical Society.

HERALD, 1875–1876: Edited and published by Fillmore and Gray. Sold to *Index*. U

VIDETTE, 1878–1881: A semi-monthly college paper edited and published by students in Northwestern University. Combined with *Tripod* in 1881 to form *Northwestern*. File in Evanston Historical Society Library.

EWING, FRANKLIN COUNTY

BAPTIST BANNER, 1874–1876: Keeley and Allen were editors and publishers in 1875; C. J. Keeley alone in 1876.

EWINGTON, EFFINGHAM COUNTY

PIONEER, 1856–1860+: Established by William B. Cooper; apparently he sold to J. W. Filler, who moved the paper to Effingham. **F**

EXETER, SCOTT COUNTY

BATTLE AXE, July–October 16, 1841: Established by Joseph W. Ormsbee, who used it to advocate the repudiating of the public debt. He soon sold to James Monroe Ruggles, who removed it to Winchester after the sixteenth number. The subtitle of the sheet was *Political Reformer*.

FAIRBURY, LIVINGSTON COUNTY

JOURNAL, April 15, 1866–1872: Established by Otis M. Eastman and edited and published by him until the paper was absorbed by the *Independent*. Republican.

INDEPENDENT, April 14, 1871–January 6, 1877+: Established by O. J. and L. W. Dimmick. Conducted by them until October 6, 1876, when they sold to Bassett and Price. W. H. Price bought his partner's interest on October 28, 1876, and on December 2 sold to John S. Scibird. The paper was consolidated by him with the *Blade* on January 6, 1877.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY BLADE, November 6, 1876–January 6, 1877+: Established by C. B. Holmes, with M. W. Riley as editor. Holmes sold to John S. Scibird on January 6, 1877, and the paper was consolidated with *Independent* as

INDEPENDENT–BLADE, +January 6, 1877–July 12, 1884+: John S. Scibird continued as editor until 1880, when he was succeeded by his son, Ed. A. Scibird, who continued until July 12, 1884, when C. E. Carter bought the paper and changed the name to *Blade*. T. E. Dubois bought out Carter March 10, 1888, and remained editor and publisher until 1892, when he sold to D. A. Fraley. November 4, 1893, Fraley sold to Shankland and Price, and August 4, a Mr. Fulton bought Price's interest. G. A. Sutton bought Shankland's interest November 11, 1898, and the paper has since that time been published by Fulton and Sutton, and edited by Mr. Fulton. Republican. Bound files in the office.

FAIRFIELD, WAYNE COUNTY

INDEPENDENT PRESS, 1852–1855+: John M. Walden was editor and A. A. Stickney publisher. Gerhard gives F. C. Mawley as publisher. It was Democratic in its sympathies. Changed to

ILLINOIS PATRIOT, +1855–1856: It was also a Democratic paper edited by C. T. Lichtenberger.

NEWS, 1856: Edited by James H. Smith. It was a non-partisan paper.

GAZETTE, 1858: Edited by A. S. Tilden. It advocated "State Sovereignty and Popular Rights."

PRAIRIE PIONEER, 1858–1866: Published and edited in 1858 by Joe M. Pryor, who retired February 2, 1859. William Lloyd Carter began publishing the paper February 22, 1859, and was succeeded in the editorial chair by J. D. Lichtenberger, October 20, 1859. Miles B. Friend was for a short time in partnership with Carter, March, 1859. March 15, 1860, Theodore Edmondson became the publisher and W. L. Carter was again editor. Edmondson was succeeded as publisher by Benson T. Atherton, August, 1860. October 12, 1862, the *Pioneer* suspended publication, to be revived by J. D. Lichtenberger. Then Atherton again tried to make it live, but September, 1863, practically closed its career. In 1862, however, Dr. Sibley had purchased Lichtenberger's interest, and, associating with himself R. B. Schell, continued the paper off and on till 1866, "on a red hot loyal platform".

WAR DEMOCRAT, January, 1864–1866+: Established by C. I. Wilmans, who in February, 1864, associated C. W. Sibley in the publication. The paper was Democratic but favored the war. Wilmans retired early, leaving Sibley in charge, but returned as Sibley's associate, August, 1864, and remained until February, 1865. C. W. Sibley was succeeded in 1865 by his father, C. Sibley, who in the same year sold to D. W. Barkley. January, 1866, Barkley took Revill into partnership and changed the name to

WAYNE COUNTY PRESS, +1866 to date: Under Barkley and Revill, the paper was neutral in politics. Revill retired and Barkley associated with himself his brother, O. F. Barkley. After a time D. W. Barkley purchased his brother's interest. Under Barkley the *Press* left its neutral ground, and became, especially in 1868, a strong Republican organ. After this, however, and until 1876, it was a "Granger." It returned in 1876 to the Republican party. On July 2, 1887, Mr. Barkley sold the paper to W. M. Goudy and O. F. Barkley, the latter selling his interest to Mr. Goudy in May, 1889. Mr. Goudy sold October 4, 1909, to E. H. Childress and W. M. Knodell. Mr. Childress is editor.

DEMOCRAT, 1868–1881+: Established by George W. Bates and Mr. Holmes, July 3, 1868. The office had been purchased and brought to Fairfield by R. F. Brown, who abandoned the enterprise before it was fairly launched. It was then run successively by John Moffit, C. J. Wilmans, Isaac M. Stanley, R. B. Schell,

Miles B. Friend, and Joe V. Baugh; 1871–1872, C. E. Sibley and R. B. Schell were proprietors. In 1875, Brown came into possession again, and sold the paper to Oliver Holmes. After changing hands frequently it was sold finally by Wilmans to Ed. McClung in 1881, when the paper was consolidated with the *Record*.

WAYNE COUNTY REPUBLICAN, 1875–1876(?): A Republican paper edited by Frank Israel and C. E. Wolfe, and published by C. E. Wolfe. U

REPUBLICAN, 1878–——(?): Established by Ross Robinson. A radical paper, bought by D. W. Barkley and discontinued in a short time.

REGISTER, September, 1879+: Established by Joseph D. Carter and Will M. Goudy. Democratic in politics. It was published until December, when it was purchased by Ed. McClung and changed to the

RECORD, +December, 1879 to date: Originally the *Register*, purchased by Edward McClung. In 1881 McClung consolidated with the *Record* the weekly *Democrat*, at that time owned and edited by Wilmans. In 1889 Mr. McClung sold a half interest to John M. Rapp, and in 1892 sold the whole plant to Mr. Rapp, who is editing and publishing the paper at this time. Democratic in politics.

FARINA, FAYETTE COUNTY

NEWS, 1877 to date: Established by Ed. Freeman and soon discontinued. It was succeeded, about 1880, by *Echo*, published by J. S. Grant. He sold to W. R. Hancock, and Hancock sold to C. R. Davis in 1882. Davis changed the name to *News*, and in 1902 sold to M. C. Barbee and E. B. Pribble. They sold to W. C. Cunningham and he in July, 1903, to A. S. and C. D. Coon. A. S. Coon became sole owner in March, 1905. Republican to 1902, thenceforward Independent.

FARMER CITY, DeWITT COUNTY

REPUBLICAN, 1869–1872+: Established by John S. Harper, proprietor and editor. He published it until 1872 and sold it to Messrs. Cummings and Wilkinson, who changed the name to the

ORTHORSPOR, +1871–1872: Published by Cummings and Wilkins, edited by Wilkins. Soon after the change of name, J. W. Richardson became local editor and manager. After a career of six months Mr. Richardson moved the *Orthorspor* out of the county.

REAL ESTATE INDEX, 1871–——(?): Published by W. H. Anderson. A small advertising sheet, which had a brief existence.

JOURNAL, November, 1872 to date: Established by John S. Harper. After two years, it was bought by O. J. Smith and J. R. Robinson, who made it the organ of the Granger element. Before issuing any numbers of the paper these gentlemen sold out to W. L. Glessner, whose brother, L. C. Glessner, then took a half interest and assumed charge of the paper. The first issue by the Glessners was October 15, 1874. In June, 1877, L. C. Glessner bought his brother's interest and had sole charge until February, 1879, when the office was moved to Carlinville, Macoupin county, whence the paper was issued as the *Herald*. The *Journal* was continued after 1879 by W. C. Devore. In 1887 it was sold by Mr. Devore to M. V. Zimmerman, who in November, 1891, sold it to E. A. and C. L. Wood. In June, 1893, E. A. Wood sold to W. C. Devore, who in 1894 sold to C. L. Wood. In 1895 Mr. Wood sold to F. S. Nutt and B. B. Bates. Mr. Nutt died in November, 1896, and was succeeded by his brother S. E. Nutt, who in March, 1897, sold to E. A. Williams. The present proprietors of the *Journal* are Williams and Bates. It was Independent in politics with a slight Democratic tendency under Glessner. In 1882 it was the recognized organ of Republicanism in northern DeWitt county. Files for ten years at the office.

HERALD, September, 1873–1875: Established by W. C. Devore and Paul J. Clifford, who sold out after two years to Whetzell Brothers. They continued the paper six weeks and then moved it to Lovington, Moultrie county, there issuing the Lovington *Index*. After six months Devore reassumed possession and continued the paper as the Lovington *Free Press* until 1879, when he returned to Farmer City and revived the *Journal*, as above stated.

EAGLE, 1874– ——(?): Started by John S. Harper; soon sold to G. W. Armstrong.

REPORTER, 1878–August, 1880: Established by Albion Smith, editor and proprietor, in the fall of 1878; continued till August, 1880, when the office and material were destroyed by fire.

PUBLIC REAPER, 1878–1882; 1883–1892: Wesley Clearwaters, publisher; R. M. Ewing, editor. January 1, 1881, M. L. Griffith became publisher, Reuben Clearwaters, editor. In 1882 Reuben Clearwaters sold to R. M. Ewing, who, with M. L. Griffith, moved the plant to Clinton and conducted the *DeWitt County Republican* one year. It was then moved back to Farmer City by Mr. Ewing, who continued as proprietor until 1890, when he sold to Frank L. Gillespie. After several changes of ownership it was moved to Urbana in 1892 by Harry and Will Altizer and became the *Messenger*. Independent in politics.

FARMINGTON, FULTON COUNTY

JOURNAL, 1856–1857: Established by Mr. Brown; in 1858 edited and published by William H. Worrell. A. K. Montgomery had an interest at one time. Democratic in politics. **F**

TIMES, 1865–1870: Established by E. H. Phelps, editor of Lewistown *Union*. Printed at Lewistown. In 1870 Bryant and Phelps were editors and publishers.

POULTRY RECORD, 1872–1874: Established by C. W. Heaton. Merged into the *American Poultry Journal* at Chicago.

NEWS, 1874–1879: Established by J. D. Hurd, editor and publisher. Discontinued December, 1879. Democratic in politics. Semi-weekly. Succeeded by the *People*, January, 1880–1881. Republican. Lived one year. Dr. J. A. Brown was editor.

FLORA, CLAY COUNTY

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS JOURNAL, 1870 to date: Edited and published by Wilson and Clarkson, 1871; J. K. Clarkson, 1872–1873; M. L. Wilson, 1874; Wilson and Whitting, 1875; M. L. Wilson, 1876; A. H. Reed was editor and publisher, 1877–1879; A. H. Reed and F. B. Hitchcock, editors, A. H. Reed, publisher, 1880; F. B. Hitchcock, editor, Hopkins and Hitchcock, publishers, 1882; George M. Clark, 1884, A. H. Reed, editor, Reed and Wolf publishers, 1891; A. H. Reed, editor, A. H. Reed and Company, publishers, 1895; J. J. Picket was editor and publisher in 1902, succeeded by T. B. Greenlaw in 1903. B. M. Maxey had been editor and publisher since 1904. Republican.

MONTHLY LETTER BOX, 1873–1874: M. L. Wilson was editor and publisher.

TRUE WORKMAN, 1874: M. L. Wilson was editor and publisher. Monthly, illustrated.

FORRESTON, OGLE COUNTY

JOURNAL, April, 1867–1874: Established by Messrs. M. V. Saltzman and M. M. Mathews. In June, 1867, Mathews retired and Saltzman continued until 1870, when C. F. Dore acquired an interest. Dore sold to J. W. Clinton in the same year. In 1872 Clinton purchased Saltzman's interest and in 1873 sold the paper to G. L. Bennett. In 1874 I. B. Bickford purchased the office and moved it to Byron, where he established the Byron *News*.

HERALD, 1875 to date: Established by a stock company with F. N. Tice as editor. In 1876 Chas. E. Slocum became proprietor, and in 1880 he was editor and publisher; L. E. Burrows, 1882; T. F. Haller, 1892–1895. **U**

FARMERS' CRITERION, 1878– ——(?): Edited and published by D. O. Lantz. Monthly.

FRANKLIN GROVE, LEE COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1868 or 1869(?): Printed in Dixon; lived only a few months.

REPORTER, August, 1869 to date: Established by John Blocher, editor and proprietor. At the close of its second year, D. H. Spickler bought the paper and published it till May, 1875, when T. W. Scott became the proprietor. Scott sold to D. B. Senger August 5, 1876, who retained possession about thirteen years. Afterward G. W. Gaven continued the management until August, 1904, when C. A. Bancroft bought him out. E. P. Harrison assumed control as editor in March, 1906.

LEE COUNTY ENTERPRISE, June, 1879–November, 1880: Edited throughout its existence by P. O. Sproul.

FREEPORT, STEPHENSON COUNTY

PRAIRIE DEMOCRAT, 1847–1853+: A Democratic paper established and run by Stephen D. Carpenter, 1847–1850; J. O. P. Burnside, 1850–1852; George Ordway, 1852–1853. In 1853 it again fell into the possession of Mr. Burnside and he changed its name to **F**

BULLETIN, +1853 to date: Mr. Burnside was succeeded in its publication by Messrs. Brag, Brawley and Bagg; Giles and Scroggs, 1861–1864; J. R. Scroggs, 1864–1869; W. T. Giles, 1869–1873; C. C. Shuler and John W. Potter, 1873–1874; John W. Potter, 1874–1885; O. T. Potter, 1885–1894; H. Poffenberger, P. O. Stiver, H. F. Rocky, 1894 to 1900; and H. P. Poffenberger and P. O. Stiver to date. It was published weekly to 1877; then it became a daily. It has always been Democratic. **EF**

JOURNAL, 1848 to date: Published by H. G. Grattan and A. McFadden, 1848–1849; Mr. Grattan, 1848–1851; Mr. Grattan and Hiram M. Sheetz, 1851; Mr. Sheetz and Mr. A. McFadden, 1851–1853; Mr. Sheetz, 1853–1856; C. K. Judson and C. W. McCluer, 1856–1864; J. M. Bailey and R. V. Ankeny, 1864–1866. In 1866 the *Northwest* (established in 1865) was merged in the *Journal* and edited by J. S. McCall, J. M. Bailey and M. B. Mills, 1866; Mr. McCall, 1866–1868; S. D. Atkins, 1868–1873; William B. Thomas, Dwight B. Breed and Charles R. Haws, 1873–1875; S. D. Atkins and Company, 1875; A. N. Richards and Company, 1875 to 1883, when the Freeport Journal Printing Company was organized, with Smith D. Atkins as president, principal stock holder, and editor. The paper has continued on this basis. In 1883 the *Budget* was absorbed, and a

daily issue was established. Previous to that time Messrs. Judson and McCluer issued a daily *Journal* in 1856–1857, and in 1857 Mr. McCall began the issue of a daily which was discontinued after a period of nearly two years. The *Journal* espoused the cause of the Whig party and with its death took up the cause of the Republican party. SF

DEUTSCHER ANZEIGER, 1853 to date: Established by William Wagner, and edited by him until his death in 1878. From 1855 a son, W. H. Wagner, was associated in the business, and became editor in 1877. About 1884 Albert and Oscar, sons of W. H. Wagner, became associated in the business under the firm name of W. H. Wagner and Sons. W. H. Wagner is still editor and manager. Files in the office. P

NEWS, 1864–(after 1884): A supporter of real estate interests, issued for advertising purposes. In 1869–1875 Taylor and Aspinwall, and from 1876 until 1884 Taylor and Sons were editors and publishers. Monthly. Discontinued.

BUDGET, 1870–1883: In 1879, Stabeck and Haws were editors and publishers. Republican in politics. Absorbed by the *Journal* in 1883.

SOLDIERS' ADVOCATE, 1873–1879: W. S. Agney was editor and publisher, 1873–1874; Agney and Jones, 1875; Jones and Carey, 1876; Bright and Barton, 1877; Bright and Brownlee were editors and publishers, 1879. Monthly. Discontinued.

ILLINOIS MONITOR, 1874–1876: Edited and published by W. T. Giles.

TRUE MISSION, 1875– (after 1881): In 1879 W. S. Young was editor and publisher. An evangelical, nonsectarian, temperance organ. Discontinued.

NORDWESTLICHE POST, 1875: Edited and published by H. Krumme.

TIMES, 1876: Charles R. Haws was editor and publisher. Daily.

BANNER, 1879 to date: German. Established by F. W. Frick, 1879–1880; H. W. Frick, 1882; Joseph Frick, 1884; Charles H. Frick, 1891–1895. In 1891 *Sontagsblatt* was begun. *Unterhaltungsblatt*, a weekly edition, is published on Tuesdays. Independent in politics.

FULTON, WHITESIDE COUNTY

WHITESIDE INVESTIGATOR, 1854– ——(?)+: Edited by Judge James McCoy and John Phelps. It soon passed over to Mr. McFadden and G. A. Laighton, and in 1855 was published by A. McFadden and W. J. Johnson. Subsequently Mr. Laighton became sole proprietor and changed its name to

ADVERTISER, +——(?)-——(?): The editorial staff consisted of Dr. C. A. Griswold and Messrs. Grout and Lewis. In 1856 it favored Buchanan for president. After the campaign Mr. Greenleaf became editor. Mr. Laighton, the owner, becoming financially embarrassed, went east, leaving the paper in charge of an apprentice who soon stopped its publication.

WEEKLY COURIER, 1859–1863+: A. J. Booth and B. C. Golliday leased the establishment of the *Advertiser* from Mr. Laighton and began the *Courier*. After six months Mr. Booth obtained sole charge of the *Courier*, and in 1863 he purchased the establishment of Mr. Laighton and changed the name to

JOURNAL, +1863 to date: The *Journal* was conducted by A. J. Booth, 1863–1866; Booth and Son, 1866–1872; George Terwilliger, 1872; Mr. Terwilliger, editor, and W. C. Snyder, publisher, 1872–1876. In 1876 Mr. Snyder became sole owner and he leased it to Thomas J. Pickett. Pickett and Snyder were editors and publishers in 1879; A. W. Bastion in 1907. The paper has been an organ of the Republican party.

ARGUS, 1868-——(?): Established by Messrs. Pratt.

WHITESIDE DEMOCRAT, 1871–1872+: Started by F. L. Norton. After one year it was called the

LIBERAL, 1872-——(?): Published by J. M. Finch.

GALENA, JO DAVIESS COUNTY

MINER'S JOURNAL, 1826–1832+: Its first editor was James Jones. In 1829 Mr. Jones associated with himself as editor Thomas Ford, afterwards Governor of Illinois, and J. W. Stephenson, a prominent man of the place, was a contributor. For some period before 1829 the paper was temporarily suspended. It supported Kinney for Governor in 1830, and was otherwise active in politics, though said to be non-partisan. Dr. Philleo, who secured control of it, changed its name to **AHWM**

GALENIAN, +May 2, 1832–1836+: Edited by Addison Philleo and George N. Palmer, successively. It was a Democratic paper. There are a few numbers in the Danville Public Library. Changed to **WSHAM**

DEMOCRAT, +1836–1838(?): Edited by Dr. Philleo and George N. Palmer.

ADVERTISER, July 20, 1829–1830: Established by Hooper Warren, backed by Governor Ninian Edwards; published by Newhall, Philleo and Company; edited by Warren, Horatio Newhall, and Addison Philleo, who were not harmonious in their political affili-

ations. Warren wrote Edwards December 1, 1829, that the paper had 400 subscribers. Money and paper were scarce, and the paper suspended publication in June, 1830. **AH**

NORTHWESTERN GAZETTE AND GALENA ADVERTISER, 1834–1863+: The *Galenian* under Dr. Philleo became so unpopular that Dickinson B. Morehouse and other citizens bought an outfit and started this paper. S. M. Bartlett and a Mr. Loring were put in charge, but Loring soon withdrew. Benjamin Mills was editor, 1834–1835. H. H. Houghton became associated with Bartlett, and in 1838 became sole owner. He made the paper a tri-weekly. In 1843 he sold to W. C. E. Thomas, but in 1845 was again editor and in 1847 sole owner. January 1, 1848, he issued the first number of a daily edition called Galena *Daily Advertiser;* the weekly and tri-weekly seem to have been called at this time *Northwestern Gazette.* Nesbit Baugher and D. W. Scott owned each a third interest, 1859–1861. In 1863 the establishment was sold to James B. Brown and George K. Shaw, who changed the name to **AWEF**

GAZETTE, +1863 to date: Shaw soon withdrew, and the paper was continued as as daily and weekly by James B. Brown until 1896; since that time it has been edited and published by A. W. Glesner. Republican. **A**

JOURNAL, 1838–1840: Owned by a stock company and edited by W. C. Taylor and John Stark.

STAR, 1840–1841: Edited by Beriah Brown.

SENTINEL, 1841–1846: Edited by H. C. McGrew and Brothers, and later by Sweney and Son. It was Democratic in its sympathies. **F**

JEFFERSONIAN, 1845–1855: Founded by H. A. and H. W. Tenney. Charles Sweney was editor and proprietor, 1847–1852; Randall, Sanford, and Company, 1852; Ray and Sanford, 1852–1853; Ray and Scott, 1853–1854; Scott, 1854. After a few months Mr. Scott sold two-thirds interest to L. T. Leal and Charles Crouch. The *Jeffersonian* disappeared in 1855. The name indicates its politics. But under the editorship of Ray the paper took strong ground against the Kansas-Nebraska act. After Ray went to the Chicago *Tribune,* the *Jeffersonian* went back to Douglas Democracy. Semi-weekly. **F**

CORRESPONDENT, 1851–1862+: A German paper issued for a year and a half from the office of the *Jeffersonian.* A German company was formed and the management of the paper was given to Mr. Slybold until 1854 or 1855, when he was succeeded by Messrs. Wuertenburg and Becket. They were succeeded by Mr. Pingel, who changed the name to

DEUTSCHE ZEITUNG, +1862–1868+: Conducted by Mr. Pingel until 1868, when he sold to Von Kettler, who changed the name to

VOLKSFREUND, +1868 to date (1878): Published by Von Kettler until November, 1872, when he sold to J. Voss and M. Witt.

COURIER, 1855–1862: Published by Leal, Crouch, and Company. The members of the company kept withdrawing until by 1860 Mr. Leal was alone. In 1861 he sold to E. R. Paul, who discontinued the daily, which had been started early in January, 1856. Mr. Paul sold to Mr. Bristol and he continued to publish the paper until the next year, when he sold to a company and we hear no more of the *Courier*. Democratic. **HF**

DEMOCRAT, December, 1862–1868: Published at first by a company of Democrats, and edited by L. S. Everett. The company soon sold to H. H. Savage. He soon assumed editorial charge also. Stopped by mortgage sale in 1868.

COMMERCIAL ADVERTISER, 1864–1874+: Established by D. W. Scott as a monthly mercantile and business paper but gradually transformed to horticultural. Alonzo L. Cummings became a partner in 1872, and the paper was conducted by D. W. Scott and Company until changed to

INDUSTRIAL PRESS, +February 6, 1874–(after 1884): Established by A. L. Cummings and James W. Scott. Scott sold to his father, D. W. Scott, in 1875, without changing the firm name of Cummings and Scott, which continued until after 1884.

SPIRIT OF THE PRESS, October, 1871–1873: Established by H. H. Houghton. Merged with the *Gazette* in 1873.

SUN, 1869: Established by S. W. Russell. Short-lived.

GALESBURG, KNOX COUNTY

NORTHWESTERN INTELLIGENCER, 1848–1850: Edited by Rev. C. R. Fisk. It was non-partisan as to politics; favored Presbyterianism. The number in the library of the state university indicates considerable pugnacity, especially against President Blanchard of Knox College. **U**

NORTHWESTERN GAZETEER, 1849–1850(?): Edited by Southwick Davis. It favored Congregationalism and was neutral in politics.

NEWS LETTER, 1850–1853: Edited by Gale, Bunce, and Lanphere. It favored railroad construction. In 1852 in the hands of S. G. Cowan it appeared as the *News Letter and Henry County News*. It was for some time nonpartisan, but in the latter part of its existence it somewhat favored the Free Soil doctrine. **F**

KNOXIANA, 1851–1857(?): Issued by members of Adelphic Society of Knox College. Monthly. Still published in 1857. **P**

WESTERN FREEMAN, two months of 1853: It was an anti-slavery paper edited by J. W. Lane.

FREE DEMOCRAT, 1854–1865+: An anti-slavery paper, daily after 1857. The first three editors in order were, Southwick Davis, W. H. Holcomb, and B. F. Haskins. William J. Woods was owner at the time of Haskins' editorship, which began in 1854. In 1855 Haskins was succeeded by C. J. Sellon. The same year S. W. Brown, R. H. Whiting, and D. H. Fresbie became owners. November to December, 1855, S. D. McDonald conducted the paper, followed by W. J. Woods as owner and C. J. Sellon as editor. August, 1856, Woods sold the office to J. H. Sherman. In 1865 Messrs. Bailey and McClelland became proprietors, and the name was changed to **F**

FREE PRESS, +1865–1894: In 1872 General M. S. Barnes bought the paper, and became editor and publisher. His son, W. Bennett Barnes, had business charge of the daily edition, which was begun 1875. Changed to *Press* in 1876. In 1882 the name was changed to *Press and People*. Bought by Gershon Martin in 1883 and issued by him until 1894, when he died and the paper was sold to the *Spectator*. Democratic.

OAK LEAF, 1856– ——(?): A monthly published by the Gnothautic Society of Knox College. **P**

HEMLANDET, 1855–1858+: A Swedish Lutheran paper edited by Rev. T. N. Hasselquist. At that time it was the only Swedish newspaper in the United States. It was taken to Chicago in 1858.

DET RÄTTA HEMLANDET, 1856–1858: A monthly organ of the Lutherans, edited by Rev. T. N. Hasselquist and A. R. Cervin. It was removed to Chicago with the preceding paper.

FRIHETSVANNEN, January, 1859–1861: Edited in turn by Peterson, Wilborg, and Arosenius. Fortnightly; part of the time weekly.

EVANGELISTEN, 1860: Lasted about a year. The organ of the Swedish Baptists. L. Ahnberg was business manager.

KNOX COUNTY OBSERVER, 1865– ——(?): Published by Louis V. Taft. Short-lived.

REGISTER, 1866–1872+: Started by Steve R. Smith, William J. Mourer, and H. D. Babcock. After several changes it was bought by E. F. Phelps in 1872 and shortly afterwards was merged into the *Republican Register*. It had a daily edition after 1870.

LIBERAL, 1867–1879: Edited by Steve R. Smith.

TIMES, 1868–1869: E. A. Snively was editor and publisher. After about nine months he sold to a Mr. Bush, at that time publisher of the *Register*. Democratic.

WATER CURE JOURNAL, 1868–1870: An advertising sheet edited by Mrs. M. Blanche Oughton; published by McCall, Miller, and Company.

NOONDAY STAR, 1870–1871: The Star Printing Company were editors and publishers. Daily.

ZION'S BANER, 1871: A Swedish Lutheran monthly. Rev. C. Anderson was editor and publisher. (See Knoxville, p. 216.)

KNOX STUDENT, 1872 to date: Collegiate monthly. **P**

REPUBLICAN, 1872+: Started by C. E. Carr and J. M. Prior; sold to S. W. Grubb and consolidated with *Register* as

REPUBLICAN–REGISTER, +1872 to date: Owned and published by a stock company formed for this purpose, known as the Galesburg Printing and Publishing Company. George V. Dietrick was its president, and S. W. Grubb, secretary and treasurer; Z. Beatty was editor, and continued so until his death in 1896, since which date Fred K. Jelliff has been editor. About 1901 George A. Perry and O. N. Custer bought a controlling interest, and the former became business manager. J. W. Grubb succeeded his father as secretary and treasurer of the company. In 1909 Messrs. Custer and Perry bought the interest of J. W. Grubb, and Mr. Custer took Mr. Grubb's position. S. W. Grubb was business manager. Daily and weekly. Republican. **U**

REPUBLIC, 1873–1875+: Conducted by Judson Graves of Kirkwood. Semi-weekly. Changed after two years to

PLAINDEALER, +1875–1907: Judson Graves was editor and publisher until 1882, when he was succeeded by Henry Emrich. Weekly. Independent-Republican. Discontinued in 1907.

SIDEWALKINGS, 1873– ——(?): Edited by Stephen R. Smith. Irregular and short-lived. Printed in magazine form.

REVIEW, 1877– ——(?): Conducted by Colville Brothers. In 1878 it was changed from a weekly to a monthly. Republican.

PROVINCE, +January 1, 1879– ——(?): A monthly, edited by George H. Higgins and published in the interest of the Episcopal church.

GALVA, HENRY COUNTY

WATCHMAN, 1857: This paper had a brief career in Galva. Isaac B. Smith was editor; Smith and Harl, then E. and I. B. Smith were publishers. It was purchased by Judge Tillson, Dr. A. A. Dunn, U. M. Ayers and H. W. Wells, and removed to Cambridge. Its name was changed to the *Chronicle* (which see). **F**

DEN SVENSKE REPUBLIKANEN I NORRA AMERIKA, July 4, 1856–1857+: A secular, liberal paper founded as especially antagonistic to the *Hemlandet* of Galesburg, by the Bishop Hill colony of Swedes. Edited by S. Cronsioe. It was removed to Chicago in 1857.

UNION, December, 1862–1867+: Established by B. W. Seaton. Afterward owned by Eric Johnson; then by John I. Bennett and edited by J. M. Edson. It was changed to

REPUBLICAN, +October, 1867–1870: Johnson and Chaiser, editors and publishers.

PRAIRIE CHIEF, April, 1868–1871+: For a time issued from the office of the *Union* (Kett and Company, *History of Henry County*, p. 182), then from Toulon as successor to *Stark County Democrat* by F. B. Seaton. Removed to Cambridge in 1871.

ILLINOIS SWEDE, 1869–——(?): Published by Eric Johnson at about the same time as the *Republican*, in both Swedish and English.

DEMOCRAT, July, 1869–1871+: Started by a number of Democrats with J. L. Rock as editor. Sold after six months and edited by J. G. Ayers until 1871, when it was changed to

JOURNAL, +February, 1872–(after 1880): Edited by W. J. Ward. In April, 1873, W. J. Ward sold to his brother, F. P. Ward, who in 1874 sold a half interest to J. J. Balch. Both later sold to Henry W. Young, who was still running the paper in 1880. Independent in politics. U

NEWS, October, 1879, to date: Established by Beall Brothers (Fred and Asa) with Henry Quinn as manager. After one year Fred Beall was succeeded by R. H. Wagner, and in another year the firm sold to Frank Boyd and Wade Errett. After a year Tom Boyd bought Wade Errett's interest. In 1883 Boyd Brothers sold to Elmer E. Fitch, whose first paper was issued April 14. In the next year Henry Quinn bought an interest in January, in 1903 he sold to Mr. Fitch, who has continued as owner and publisher. He leased the paper to his son, George Fitch, May 14, 1908–1909, and Carroll Ragan became editor and manager. Republican.

GARDNER, GRUNDY COUNTY

JOURNAL, 1870–1871: Established and conducted by A. K. Stiles. Republican.

GRUNDY COUNTY FARMER, 1871–1872: Morgan and Wilson were editors and publishers.

INDEPENDENT, 1876–1877: H. H. Parkinson was editor and publisher.

GENESEO, HENRY COUNTY

DEMOCRATIC STANDARD, 1855–1856, 1857–1858: Edited by James Bowie. In the last year of its existence it favored Democracy.

REPUBLIC, 1856 to date: First edited by I. S. Hyatt, 1856–1858; J. M. Allen and O. A. Turner, 1858; Merritt Munson, 1858; Hobbs and Lewis, 1858–1863. In November, 1863, Mr. Hobbs obtained entire control. At the same time Adam Lieberknecht purchased the *Advocate* and the two papers were consolidated and became the *Advocate-Republic*. Mr. Lieberknecht was still editor and publisher in 1879. The paper was Republican. In 1907 the *Republic* was being published by A. Lieberknecht, a son of the former editor. **UF**

CHRISTIAN PHILOSOPHER, 1858–1859: Issued monthly and edited by Merritt Munson.

JOURNAL, 1860: A campaign paper started by an association of Republicans and edited in turn by James Ireland, George W. Shaw, William Smith, and George A. Hobbs.

UNION ADVOCATE, 1862–1863+: Begun by Major James M. Horsford. Sold to Adam Lieberknecht, who united it with the *Republic*.

HENRY COUNTY NEWS, January, 1874 to date: Established by Belvel and Fisher. Later it was conducted by Belvel and Kiner, then by Christian and Kiner. Henry L. Kiner was editor in 1879. Neutral in politics. By 1879 it had become the

INDUSTRIAL ADVOCATE AND NEWS: Henry L. Kiner continued as editor and Christian and Kiner as publishers. Under the name *News* this paper is still published and edited by John Swift. A daily was begun in 1895. Republican.

SUN, 1879–1882: N. Spurlock was editor and publisher. Republican.

GENEVA, KANE COUNTY

FOX RIVER ADVOCATE, 1845+: Published by Robert J. Thomas and H. Hough. Changed to

STAR OF THE WEST, +1846: Published by H. A Hough and A. E. McKinstry. "In politics," reads the salutatory, "looking above and beyond the present party distinctions, aims at nationality; its motto is For our Country at all times; to approve her when right, to right her when wrong." Only two issues were printed. **F**

WESTERN MERCURY, 1847–1851+: Published by B. T. Wilson. Joseph Cockroft soon became a partner. Its publication was suspended from 1851 until 1856, when it was changed to **F**

KANE COUNTY REPUBLICAN, + 1856 to date: John Wilson was editor and publisher in 1868; S. L. Taylor, 1870–1871; Archer and Tyrell, 1872–1873; Charles Archer, 1874 until after 1884; James Forrest, 1891; Kane County Publishing Company, 1895; Charles B. Mead was editor, Mead and Sons publishers in 1907.

KANE COUNTY DEMOCRAT: Published by Harrington and M. C. Quillen. In Gerhard and in Coggeshall for 1856.

KANE COUNTY ADVERTISER, 1856–1865: Edited by B. T. Wilson and Mr. Cockroft, 1856–1857; John Wilson, 1857–1865(?).

GOSPEL BANNER, 1857–(after 1869): Edited by Benjamin F. Wilson. Semi-monthly. Suspended by 1870.

REPUBLIC, 1865–1896: Among the editors of the *Republic* were S. L. Taylor, 1870–1871; Tyrell and Archer, 1871–1873; McMaster, Archer and Wheeler, 1873–1876; Mr. Archer, 1876–1884; A. D. Hays, 1884–1887; W. H. Howell and Company. 1887–1889; J. E. Forrest, 1888–1891; Charles B. Mead, 1891 to date. This paper has been Republican. In 1896 it was called the *Twice a Week Republican.*

GENOA, DEKALB COUNTY

NEWS, 1877: S. S. Tucker was editor and publisher. Republican.

GIBSON CITY, FORD COUNTY

ENTERPRISE, 1872–1873+: Established by N. E. Stevens, who in 1873 sold to Walter Hoge. He changed it to

COURIER, +November, 1873 to date: Established by Walter Hoge. In April, 1875, it was purchased by Emanual Lowry, who conducted it until 1897, except during the year 1884–1885, when it was published by M. F. Cunningham and John C. Molloy. In July, 1897, Mr. Lowry retired and turned the *Courier* over to his sons, Charles E. and Russell, who published it for two years. Then Russell Lowry's interest was taken by his brother, J. P., who has since been a member of the firm, which is styled E. Lowry's Sons. The paper has always been Independent-Republican in politics. Files are in the office.

GILLESPIE, MACOUPIN COUNTY

UNION AND GAZETTE, November, 1860–——(?): Established by A. W. Edwards, who edited it until 1863. Alonzo James conducted it for a time after Edwards left. It was extremely Democratic. Edwards revived the paper in Bunker Hill in 1866.

GILMAN, IROQUOIS COUNTY

JOURNAL, 1868–1870: Established by Mathias Custer, editor and publisher. It continued two years. Independent in politics.

FRUIT GROWER, 1869–1872: Established by Ed. Rumley. An advertising sheet. Monthly.

SATURDAY STAR, May, 1870 to date: Established by Ed. Rumley, editor and publisher, who was still conducting the paper in 1879; John J. Coon, 1882–1884; R. C. Allen, 1891–1895; A. S. Chapman is now publisher. Independent in politics, but a radical temperance advocate. Complete files in the office.

REAL ESTATE JOURNAL, 1870–1871: In 1870 edited and published by Ed. Rumley; in 1871 by Cyrus Shinn. An advertising sheet.

GIRARD, MACOUPIN COUNTY

ENTERPRISE, November, 1857–1858+: Edited by Dr. Critchfield, 1857–1858; W. A. Solomon, 1858. Neutral in politics. Changed to

GUIDE, +1858–1859+: The first editor was W. A. Solomon, who was succeeded by Mr. McChesney, who took a Mr. Canfield as associate. Changed to

NEWS, +1860–1861: Edited by McChesney and William E. Milton.

ENTERPRISE, April, 1865–1867: Begun by a Mr. McChesney and William E. Milton. McChesney retired in October, 1865.. In March, 1865, citizens bought the paper and turned it over to H. H. Keebler, with William Shook as local editor. After eight months it was turned over to Thomas Organ, who changed its political tone from neutral to Republican. It was soon discontinued.

REVIEW, 1872–1874+: Begun by William E. Milton. Sold to Charles E. Fish, who changed the name to

DEMOCRATIC CHIEF, +1874+: Under which name it continued for four months. Three months later it was revived by William R. Crenshaw and J. H. Power, who soon resumed the name

REVIEW, +1874–1878: J. H. Power was editor and publisher in 1878. It continued, under many brief ownerships, until November, 1878. It was Democratic, favorable to Greenback ideas for a time.

GAZETTE, January, 1879 to date: Tipton and Stuve, proprietors; William Stuve, editor. It was suspended in April, but publication was resumed after a few weeks. A. H. Simmons purchased Stuve's part and edited the *Gazette* four months, when he sold to Tipton. George L. Tipton published the *Gazette* until December, 1904, when he presented the office to his son, Fred L. Tipton. Neutral in politics. Files are in the office.

GOLCONDA, POPE COUNTY

HERALD, 1857–1889+: Established by James D. Mondy. Daniel Clark was an early editor. Sam Roper was editor in 1868 and the early 70's. Robert McGown was publisher in 1868. In 1873 A. J. Alden was editor and McGown and Alden publishers; Thomas McGown, editor, McGown and Brother, publishers, 1874–1879. S. L. Spear, D. G. Thompson, Josiah P. Hodge, E. H. Thielecke, and A. B. McDonald each published the paper before it was consolidated in 1889 with the *Enterprise*, which had been established in 1887 by Phil A. Craig and Sim V. Clanahan. The *Herald Enterprise* has been published to date (1907) by Craig and Clanahan. Republican. **U**

POPE COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1878–1880: Phillip V. Field, editor; Thielecke Brothers and Company, publishers.

GRAFTON, JERSEY COUNTY

BACKWOODSMAN, 1837: A monthly literary and agricultural newspaper. Perry Mason was the proprietor and John Russell, the editor, 1837–1839. In 1839 it was moved to Jerseyville, the county seat. Rock Island**AS**

PHOENIX, 1842–(after 1843): R. B. Wallace was editor and publisher. **A**

INDEPENDENT, 1877–1880: Established by Colonel William H. Edgar. R. R. Claridge was editor and publisher in 1878–1879. Manuscript was prepared at Grafton, printed in office of the Jerseyville *Republican*. In 1878 Claridge purchased necessary materials and moved the office to Grafton, becoming sole editor and proprietor. In 1880 the paper was moved to Jerseyville and became the *Jersey Independent*. Greenback in politics.

GRAND DETOUR, OGLE COUNTY

ROCK RIVER REGISTER, 1842–1843: By September 16, 1842, this paper had been removed from Mt. Morris to secure theadvantage of better mail facilities. It was edited by D. C. Dunbar. He died in October. By May 10, 1843, the proprietors were Charles H. Lamb and A. G. Henderson; in July Henderson had withdrawn. It is believed that the *Register* died in August, and apparently it was succeeded by **A**

ILLINOIS TRIBUNE, November 14, 1843–——(?): Edited by John W. Sweetland. It was the probable successor of the *Rock River Register*, as it seems to have been printed from the same type.

GRAND TOWER, JACKSON COUNTY

ITEM, 1875–1879: M. F. Swartzcope was proprietor and editor after the retirement of Mr. J. P. Stockton. Independent.

GRANT PARK, KANKAKEE COUNTY

NEWS, 1876 to date (1879): J. W. and E. H. Odell were editors and publishers in 1879.

GRANVILLE, PUTNAM COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1877–1882: Spencer Ellsworth was editor and publisher until 1882; W. B. Tapley, 1882. The paper was printed at the office of the Peru *Herald.* Independent.

GRAYVILLE, WHITE COUNTY

NEWS, 1853–1854+: Conducted by J. James Prather. James Stelle was editor of a humorous portion. It was non-partisan. In 1854 it became the

HERALD, +1854–1859: Started by J. J. Prather who in a short time sold to F. C. Manley. At first a Whig organ, then a Republican. In 1859 J. Ed. Clarke, associate editor of the *Herald* for two or three years, leased the office of Mr. Manley and issued the *Independent.* **H**

JOURNAL, 1856–1858: Edited by William Charles. In 1858 it was moved to Carmi and name changed to *White County Advocate.*

INDEPENDENT, 1859 to date: Edited and published by J. E. Clarke, 1859–1877; Clarke Brothers, 1877–1887; Clarke and Son, 1887 to date. Prints an edition under the name of Albion (Edwards county) *Independent.* Republican in politics. Files are in the office. **UE**

WEEKLY DEMOCRAT, 1865: Established by a stock company, September, 1865; C. S. Legge and M. B. Wood publishers. It expired after an existence of ten weeks.

REPUBLICAN, 1872–1874: Established by C. I. Williams. After six months Jonathan Stuart purchased the paper and published it for one year. November(?), 1873–November, 1874, Black and Holmes were publishers; in November, 1874, the *Republican* was discontinued and the office moved away.

CHURCH ADVOCATE, 1878 to date (1879): Lemuel Potter, editor and publisher. A semi-monthly Baptist organ.

GREENFIELD, GREENE COUNTY

INDEPENDENT, 1869–1870: Established by Morton and Pickett. Mr. Morton absconded after a short time and Mr. Pickett was obliged to discontinue the paper.

COMET, 1870– ——(?): Established by W. T. Pickett. Short-lived.

LOCOMOTIVE, 1870–1875: A. G. Meacham bought material of the *Independent* office and took Mr. Milton as a partner. Mr. Meacham retired. W. T. Pickett became Milton's partner. In

1874 the paper was sold to C. H. Johnson, who soon abandoned it. In 1881 a paper called the Greenfield *Locomotive* was being published at White Hall, Green county, as an edition of the *Register*.

NEWS, 1875: Established by John W. Walker. Independent. Short-lived. The office after being idle for some months was leased to Byron Orr and another John Walker, who established the

DISPATCH, 1876–1877: Walker abandoned the paper in a few days. After a few months Orr sold out to W. T. Pickett. In 1877 he sold out to Mr. Farris, who was publishing the Greene County *Democrat*. Office was idle until, in the same year, R. D. Suddeth leased it and started the

GREENE COUNTY REPUBLICAN, 1877–1878: In 1878 the paper was purchased by the Greenfield Printing Company, who began the publication of the

WEEKLY ARGUS, March 30, 1878 to date: W. W. Haven was editor and manager. December 8, 1884, on the death of W. W. Haven, his son Victor H. Haven became, and continued, proprietor and editor. Independent-Republican.

GREENUP, CUMBERLAND COUNTY

TRIBUNE, 1855–1857: Published by Daniel Marks, 1855–1856; Templeton and Bloomfield, 1856–1857. It was moved to Prairie City.

EXPOSITOR, 1859–1860: Published by J. E. Mumford. It also was moved to Prairie City. It was a Democratic paper of the Douglas stamp.

MAIL, 1871–1874: Established by T. B. Pyles and C. R. Davis, who were editors and publishers, 1871–1872; Edward Hitchcock, 1873; Ozier and Cooper, 1874.

TIMES, 1874–1888: Published by a Mr. Tobey. Republican.

DEMOCRAT, 1876–1881: Leon Sumerlin and Ed. McClelland were editors and publishers.

PRESS, 1874 to date: Founded by H. C. Bosworth and soon after sold to John Cunningham, who continued to edit it until his death, December, 1900. His son Walter H. then assumed that position until the paper was sold to O. B. Grant and Sons in 1903. O. B. Grant has been editor to the present time, (1909).

GREENVILLE, BOND COUNTY

PROTESTANT MONITOR, December, 1845–1848: A religious paper. Established and edited by E. M. Lathrop; published by E. M. Lathrop and James Shoaff. It was "devoted to religious lib-

erty, essential truth, and general intelligence." From the frequency with which such appellations as liar and ass were used, it seems that the *Monitor* was a vociferous advocate of its own peculiar sort of religious thought. It was removed to Alton in 1848. A copy dated Friday, May 8, 1846, is owned by T. B. Shoaff of Shelbyville. **H**

WESTERN EVANGELIST, about 1847: Listed in *Illinois Annual Register* for 1847. Peter Long was editor and owner.

JOURNAL, 1848–——(?): Published by John Waite; later by J. T. Alexander. How long this paper continued is not known. It is listed in Coggeshall's *Newspaper Directory* for 1856.

BARNBURNER, about 1849: Published by J. T. Alexander.

AMERICAN COURIER, 1856–1858: Published by Othniel Buchanan. **F**

ADVOCATE, 1858 to date: Published by J. T. Alexander, 1858–1863. In 1863 E. J. C. Alexander succeeded his brother; S. C. Mace, 1865–1871; S. B. Hynes, with T. W. Hynes as editor, 1871–1873; George M. Tatham, 1873–1893; W. W. Lowis, 1893. Since May 1, 1908, the *Advocate* has been owned by W. W. Lowis and Will C. Carson, who are editors and publishers. Republican. Copies of these papers, except *Barnburner*, in office of *Advocate*.

BOND COUNTY DEMOCRAT, June 2, 1876–January 25, 1877+: Established by J. B. Anderson, who sold it in January, 1877, to Boll and Clark, who changed the name to

SUN, +February, 1877 to date: Independent with Democratic leanings. Edited and published by William Boll and Fordyce C. Clark to 1884; Vallee Harold, 1884–1891; Charles E. Davidson, 1891–1901; Will C. Wright, 1901–1905; Charles E. Maynard, 1905 to date.

TIMES, 1870: A short-lived paper, established by Smith and Perryman.

GRIDLEY, McLEAN COUNTY

HOME JOURNAL, 1865 to date (1884): Printed at the office of the El Paso *Journal*.

MONITOR, 1873–1876(?): Edited by R. E., M. F., and C. W. Bovard, of Lexington, 1875; John and Bovard, 1876.

GRIGGSVILLE, PIKE COUNTY

PIKE COUNTY FREE PRESS, 1846–——(?): See Pittsfield.

PIKE COUNTY UNION, +1855(?)–1856(?)+: Edited by M. H. Abbott. This had been a Pittsfield paper. A file in the Library of Congress, May 2, 1855–June 9, 1856, shows that during that period it was printed in Griggsville and dated for Griggsville and Pittsfield. **AF**

INDEPENDENT, 1868–1871: Established by T. W. Hervey, who was its editor. Local paper, neutral in politics.

INDEPENDENT PRESS, September, 1879 to date: Published by A. Hughs and Nelson. In 1889 the paper was sold to E. E. Williamson, who still conducts it. Independent.

HAMILTON, HANCOCK COUNTY

REPRESENTATIVE, 1859–1862: Edited by Thomas Gregg. Semi-monthly in 1860, monthly in 1862. **P**

GREGG'S DOLLAR MONTHLY AND OLD SETTLERS' MEMORIAL, May, 1873–December, 1875: Established and edited and published by Thomas Gregg. With vol. 3 *Gregg's* was dropped from the title. With vol. 4 the title was changed to **H**

DOLLAR RURAL MESSENGER, January, 1876–April, 1877: Gregg and Brown were editors and publishers. Issued simultaneously at Hamilton and Keokuk, Iowa. "A paper for the family circle, the farm, the garden, the orchard. A pure literature." "No immoral advertisements admitted." **H**

HAMPSHIRE, KANE COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1877–——(?): Established by C. E. Howe. Short-lived.

HARDIN, CALHOUN COUNTY

CALHOUN COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1871–1876: Albert G. Ansell was editor and publisher, 1871–1876. A Republican paper.

CALHOUN HERALD, 1872 to date: Established by a stock company with John Lammy as editor. In 1876 the plant was sold to Argust and Keating. In 1879 Greathouse and Argust were editors and publishers; James McNabb was editor, 1880–1886, then he sold to T. J. Selby, who was editor until 1890. J. D. Rose was editor and proprietor, 1890 to 1894; H. M. Cornick, 1894–1895; Charles H. Lamar, 1895–1902. H. M. Cornick, publisher of the *Calhoun Times*, established 1901, bought the *Herald* in 1902 and combined the papers as the *Calhoun Times-Herald;* 1903, Charles H. Lamar bought the entire plant, changed the name back to *Calhoun Herald*, and is still editor and proprietor. The paper is Democratic.

HARRISBURG, SALINE COUNTY

CHRONICLE, 1859 to date: Edited by John F. Conover, 1859–1867; J. F. Burks, 1867–1870; Mr. Conover again, 1870–1873; Conover and F. M. Pickett, 1873–1876; J. W. Richardson, 1876; F. M. Pickett, 1876–1878; Harrisburg Printing Company, 1878–1881; Otey and Richardson by lease from Mr. Pickett, 1881–1885; Mr. Pickett, 1885 to 1889; Mr. Richardson and J. J.

Pickett, 1889–1899; Richardson and Charles Scott, 1899–1902; Richardson, 1902–1908; A. H. Andrews and John H. Shup, 1908–1909; Shup and J. M. Hutchinson to date. Files to 1873 owned by Mr. Conover; files 1873–1896 destroyed by fire. In 1873 the *Chronicle* absorbed the *Saline County Register*, and in 1881 the *Saline County Sentinel*. The *Chronicle* is a Republican paper, having become so, after various changes, in 1878. E

Saline County Register, 1869–1873; 1898 to date: Established by F. M. Pickett. Mr. Pickett revived the *Register* in 1898 and edited it until his death in 1906. At that time J. J. Pickett became editor and proprietor. The *Daily Register* was established November, 1908. August 21, 1909, the Register Publishing Company was incorporated with J. J. Pickett as president and E. M. DeAhna as secretary. Democratic until August 21, 1909. Since that date Republican. Files 1898 to date in the office.

Saline County Sentinel, 1878–1881+: In 1879 John F. Conover was editor; J. F. Conover and J. R. Pearce, publishers. John F. Conover alone, 1880; in 1881 the *Sentinel* and *Chronicle* were combined as *Chronicle-Sentinel*. Later *Sentinel* was dropped from the name.

HARVARD, McHENRY COUNTY

Independent, 1865 to date: Established by Thomas G. Newman, with H. V. Reed as editor. In 1866 Reed became owner and associated with himself a Mr. Tuttle. In 1867 Tuttle and Reed were editors and publishers. The same year, Horniday and Blake bought the paper. Blake sold to Smith Hooker, who sold in turn to A. McLaughlin; 1872, McLaughlin and A. Leland; 1877, Gardiner and Knox. These owners soon sold to George White, who in a year sold to J. and G. W. Hanna (G. W. Hanna and Son), editors and publishers in 1879. After a year, the paper was sold to James White; then at a sheriff's sale, to N. B. Burtch, January 29, 1881. Burtch sold to O. S. Eastman, October 2, 1895. He retired August 29, 1895, and sold to Merton J. Emerson and Eugene Saunders. Saunders sold to Emerson April 1, 1908, and M. J. Emerson has continued the publication. Vols. 2, 3, 17 to date in the office. Republican in politics.

HAVANA, MASON COUNTY

Mason County Herald, 1851–1857: Edited and published by McKinzie and Roberts, 1851–1853; O. H. Wright, 1853; E. L. Grubb, 1853; Stout and Weeden, 1853; W. W. Stout soon became sole editor and proprietor. The *Herald* was an ardent Young America paper. F

JOURNAL, 1857–1858: Run by J. J. Knapp. Moved to Mason City.

SQUATTER SOVEREIGN, 1859–1861: James M. Davidson was its editor.

POST, 1861: A Democratic paper run by John B. Wright.

BATTLE AXE, 1862: A Republican paper run by Robert L. Durdy.

VOTER, 1864(?): A campaign paper. E

VOLUNTEER, 1865–1867: A Republican paper run by W. W. Stout.

DEMOCRATIC TRUE UNIONIST, 1866–1870: Selah Wheadon was editor and publisher in 1869. Democratic.

LEDGER, 1867–1870: In 1869 William Humphreyville was editor and publisher. Republican.

GAZETTE, 1869–1873: A Republican paper run by D. G. Swan.

REVEILLE, 1870–1871: A Republican paper established by D. G. Swan. Short-lived.

DEMOCRATIC CLARION, 1870–1877: Established by Selah Wheadon and William Humphreyville. In 1874–1877 Wheadon alone was editor and publisher. It was apparently continued as *Mason County Democrat.*

MASON COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1878(?) to date: In 1879 Mounts and Murdock were editors and publishers. They sold to S. A. Murdock in 1879; he sold to S. D. McCaulley in 1889; John A. Muhlhof, 1890–1906; M. Bollam and Company, 1906 to date. Democratic.

MASON COUNTY REPUBLICAN, 1873 to date: From 1874 to 1880, F. Ketcham was editor; C. B. Ketcham, publisher. In 1882 Warner and Omstott were editors and publishers; P. F. Warner was editor and publisher in 1884 and in 1891. It was later owned by W. C. McKinney and sold by his estate to R. B. Ruth about 1905. He sold in 1909 to Edward Wilson.

HENNEPIN, PUTNAM COUNTY

JOURNAL, 1837–1838: Edited and published by Dr. Wilson Everett.

GENIUS OF UNIVERSAL EMANCIPATION, November 8, 1838–September 8, 1839: Edited by Benjamin Lundy, assisted by Zebina Eastman, who after Lundy's death, August 22, got out the later issues. The previous career of this publication is given as follows in the first number issued in Illinois, on November 8, 1838, vol. 16, no. 1: "It was commenced in 1821; issued a few months in Ohio; nearly three years in Tennessee; eight years in Maryland and the District of Columbia; and the residue of the period stated it has been published irregularly in the city of Philadelphia. . . . Its principal design has ever been and will

continue to be the advocacy of *Free Discussion;* the TOTAL ABOLITION OF SLAVERY; and the firm establishment of the constitutional, inalienable, and 'universal' RIGHTS OF MAN." In Hennepin it was the organ of the Illinois Anti-Slavery Society. *Genius* has been called the first abolition paper in America. It was printed at Lowell. **SH**

HERALD, 1845–1848: Edited by Philip Lynch.

TRIBUNE, 1856–1859: Edited by Birney and Duncan. **F**

PUTNAM COUNTY STANDARD, 1860–1864: Established by Grable brothers, who went to war and left the paper to their father, J. F. Grable, with Thomas Stanton, editor. In 1861 it was edited by W. H. G. Burney, and in 1863 by J. S. Grable. Moved to Wenona.

PUTNAM RECORD, June 23, 1868, to date: Established by I. H. Cook, who was editor and publisher until his death, April 7, 1909. Publication is continued by C. W. Cook. Neutral in politics. Files in the office. **U**

HENRY, MARSHALL COUNTY

COURIER, 1852–1866: Edited by R. H. Ruggles, 1852–1863; C. S. and J. D. Woodward, 1863–1866. June, 1866, the *Courier* and the *Marshall County Telegraph* were consolidated as the *Marshall County Republican.* File, 1852–1863 of *Courier*, in possession of Mark Ruggles of Mendota, Illinois.

MARSHALL COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1863–1864: Established by Charles R. Fisk, April 11, 1863. In July or August, 1864, F. M. Mills became publisher, continuing the paper but a few months.

MARSHALL COUNTY TELEGRAPH,[1] April, 1865–1866+: Established by Spencer S. Burdick. In September, 1865, George Burt, Jr., purchased an interest, and the firm became Burdick and Burt. June, 1866, a consolidation of the Henry *Courier* and the *Marshall County Telegraph* was effected and the paper changed to the

MARSHALL COUNTY REPUBLICAN, +1866 to date (1899): S. S. Burdick, George Burt, Jr., and J. D. Woodward were proprietors from June to September, 1866; Burt and Woodward, September, 1866, to January, 1869; George Burt, Jr., January, 1869–1899. At one time there was a separate edition of this paper issued as the *Putnam County Register.* The name finally became the Henry *Republican.* File, 1852–1863, in possession of George Burt. **U**

[1] The information here given seems regular and credible, but a paper bearing the same name is listed by Coggeshall in his newspaper directory for 1856 as published in Henry. The directories often breathe a seeming life into papers long dead, and sometimes list papers merely projected and never started, but this is rather too farseeing as a forecast.

BULLETIN, ——(?)– ——(?): A small paper, published several years.

REFORMED MISSIONARY, 1871– ——(?): Edited by Rev. C. Cort, and printed for some time at the *Republican* office. It was moved away and in 1880 was defunct.

COMING WOMAN, ——(?)– ——(?): Edited by Mrs. M. E. DeGeer, published for two years from the *Republican* office; afterward moved to Chicago. By 1880 it had been discontinued.

HIGHLAND, MADISON COUNTY

ERZAEHLER, March 26–May 7, 1859+: Established by Rudolph Stadtmann and John Harlen, Stadtmann, editor. April 30 Stadtmann became sole publisher. On May 7, 1859, the name was changed to

HIGHLAND BOTE, +May 7, 1859–January 12, 1867+: Peter Weiss and Peter Voegele became proprietors, Weiss editor, June 25–December 21, 1859. Peter Voegele became sole proprietor and publisher, with Heinrich Stiefel as editor from March 1, 1861, to August 17, 1862. On April 10, 1863, Voegele sold out to Timothy Gruaz, who changed the name to

HIGHLAND BOTE UND SCHUETZEN-ZEITUNG, +January 12, 1867–1869+: June, 1868, Gruaz sold out to B. E. Hoffmann and Maurice Huegy, Hoffmann, editor. November, 1869, Hoffmann purchased Huegy's interest and moved the material to Edwardsville, where the paper was continued as the *Madison County Bote*. The *Bote* was Democratic. Under the name of *Bote und Schuetzen-Zeitung* it was the official organ of the National Sharpshooters' Association.

UNION, October 24, 1863–1868+: German. Established by the German Literary Society. C. H. Seybt was editor until January 28, 1865, then Dr. Gallus Rutz. December 28, 1866, Dr. G. Rutz and J. S. Hoerner became proprietors, with Dr. Rutz, editor. October 22, 1868, the name was changed to

HIGHLAND UNION, +1868 to date: John S. Hoerner became sole proprietor and editor March 18, 1874. In September, 1898, Hoerner sold out to C. T. Kurz, who is still in possession, 1909. The *Union* has always been Republican. U

HILLSBORO, MONTGOMERY COUNTY

PRAIRIE BEACON, 1838–1839: First published by Hayward and Holmes and edited by Aaron Clapp. Eugene Hayward of Indianapolis has a file. Files after 1885 in office of the *Journal*.

PRAIRIE MIRROR, 1850–1856+: Published by Gilmore Brothers, and edited by Francis Springer, 1850–1851. A weekly paper of Whig sympathies. In the reconstruction of political parties the

Mirror became the exponent of the Know-Nothing party. A file is owned by John W. Kitchell of Pana. Mr. Dickerson, as editor and proprietor, 1854–1856, changed the name to

MONTGOMERY COUNTY HERALD, +1856–1868+: Published by James Blackman; then by C. D. Dickerson; later by J. W. Kitchell and F. H. Gilmore to 1860. From 1858–1860 it was an Independent paper. In 1860 it was sold to Davis, Turner and Company, who ran it through the campaign as a Democratic paper. In 1868 it came into the possession of E. J. C. Alexander, who changed its name to **EF**

DEMOCRAT, +1868–1874+: Claiming to be a Democratic paper, it was in full accord with the Granger movement. In 1874 it became the

ANTI-MONOPOLIST, +1874–——(?)+: A zealous exponent of the Granger movement. Mr. Alexander, the proprietor, changed the name again to the

BLADE, +——(?)–1877+: A Republican paper, sold by Mr. Alexander in 1877 to James L. Slack, who changed the name to

JOURNAL, +1877 to date: James L. Slack, 1877–1881; Charles R. Fruitt, 1881–1895; B. F. Boyd, 1895–1898; Josiah Bixler, 1898–1907. It was bought by Sam Little in 1907.

ILLINOIS FREE PRESS, 1859–1862(?): A Republican paper, edited by D. W. Munn; later by J. B. Hutchinson and James Munn. It was suspended, and revived as

UNION MONITOR, 1863–——(?)+: Editors and proprietors: John W. Kitchell, 1863–1865; J. E. Henry 1865–——(?). Mr. Alexander was for a time proprietor, but he sold to B. S. Hood. It was removed to Litchfield and became the *Monitor*. (Rowell states [1868] that Benjamin S. Hood and Company were editors and publishers at that date, and that the paper was published from the office of the Litchfield *Union Monitor*.) This paper is now the *News-Monitor*, published by the Litchfield Printing Company.

NEWS LETTER, 1869+: An outgrowth of the *Monitor*, conducted by C. L. and E. T. Bangs. Slack and Tobin bought the *News Letter* and changed it to

JOURNAL, +——(?)–1875+: C. T. Tobin sold to Slack, who sold to Ben E. Johnson and Charles T. Tobin in 1875. It had been Republican in politics. Johnson and Tobin changed it to

MONTGOMERY NEWS, +1875 to date: The paper now became Democratic. In 1876 Johnson sold his interest to George W. Paisley, and in 1882 Paisley and Tobin sold to Benjamin E. Johnson. In 1892 the paper was purchased by C. W. and C. P. Bliss, who are its present publishers. **U**

HINCKLEY, DeKALB COUNTY

REVIEW, 1878 to date: Established by M. N. Tomblin. After six months L. E. Tomblin was associated; in 1880 H. W. Fay entered the firm, which became Tomblin Brothers and Fay. Fay became sole owner in 1882. It was later conducted by Fay and Hubbard, who sold to R. D. Chappell, July 1, 1909.

HOMER, CHAMPAIGN COUNTY

JOURNAL, 1859–1870: It was edited by George Knapp for a company of citizens until he entered the army. In 1865 John W. Summers resuscitated the *Journal*, which soon passed into the hands of W. H. Rhodes. Mr. Rhodes was succeeded by John S. Harper, who continued it until 1870. Mr. Harper was continually moving the office from place to place in the county. (See Brink, McDonough's *History of Champaign County*, 43.)

PRESS, 1873–1876: Established by John S. Harper and Son. In 1876 W. Harper and E. P. Dill were editors, Ed. S. Harper publisher.

ENTERPRISE, 1877 to date: Established by J. C. Cromer; J. B. Martin, editor. Erwin A. Baker, 1882–1884; J. B. Martin, 1891–1895. Republican.

NEWS, 1877 to date (1879): J. H. Young was editor and publisher in 1879.

HOOPESTON, VERMILLION COUNTY

CHRONICLE, January, 1872 to date: Established by Seavey and Wallace as *North Vermillion Chronicle*, and continued under that name for one year. Sold January, 1877, to L. F. Watson. July, 1877, Mr. Watson sold to Dale Wallace, member of the firm of Seavey and Wallace, who established the paper. July, 1882, Charles W. Warner bought the paper and is still in editorial charge. J. J. Pittser became partner and business manager in 1903, but retired four years later leaving Charles W. Warner in sole charge. Republican. Daily and weekly. One file of the paper is owned by Dale Wallace; one is in the office.

HUEY, CLINTON COUNTY

CLEMENT REGISTER, 1875(?)–1883: Established by J. W. Peterson at Clement (now Huey) and continued until 1883, when he merged it in the Carlyle *Banner*.

HUTSONVILLE, CRAWFORD COUNTY

WABASH SENTINEL, June 5, 1852–1853+: A politically independent paper published by George W. Cutler. Changed to

JOURNAL, +1853–1854: It was a Whig paper under the control of E. Callahan. Edited at first by Charles T. Cutler.

CRAWFORD BANNER, 1857–1858: A non-partisan paper edited by W. F. Rubottom. It was moved to Palestine.

NEWS, 1874–1875: N. M. P. Spurgeon was editor and publisher.

HYDE PARK, COOK COUNTY

SOUTH SIDE NEWS, 1871–1875: Van Sant and Company were editors and publishers in 1875.

NEWS, 1872: S. Usmar Downs was editor and publisher.

DAILY SUN, 1872–1878(?): H. L. Goodall and Company were editors and publishers. (See Chicago.)

ILLINOISTOWN, ST. CLAIR COUNTY

AMERICAN BOTTOM REPORTER, 1841–1842: Published by Vital Jarrott and Company. Gustav Koerner in his *Memoirs* has said that this was a Native American paper, published in 1841–1842.[1]

NATIONAL BANK, fall of 1842: A Whig campaign paper edited by W. Weigley and published by S. D. Sumrix. It was to be "devoted to the advocacy of Henry Clay for the presidential chair, a National Bank, the tariff, and the protection of home industry."

ILLIOPOLIS, SANGAMON COUNTY

CITIZEN, 1879–1880: J. W. Wolfe was editor and publisher. Printed at Mt. Pulaski as an issue of a paper there of identical name.

IPAVA, FULTON COUNTY

FULTON PRESS, 1874+: Established by G. A. Hyde. Soon passed to Mr. Flake, who changed the name to

FULTON PHOENIX, +1874+: And after a short time removed it to Astoria. In 1877 it was purchased by Leigh and Miller, who returned the office to Ipava and changed its name to

INDEPENDENT, +1877+: After a period of two months they sold the entire establishment to A. H. McKeighan, who immediately changed its name to

STREAM OF LIGHT, +1877–(after 1879): McKeighan continued as editor and proprietor for several years

JACKSONVILLE, MORGAN COUNTY

WESTERN OBSERVER, May, 1830: Published by James G. Edwards. "Devoted to politics, education, and religion."

[1] Evidently this is the same paper as *American Bottom Gazette* of East St. Louis (of which Illinoistown was the earlier name).

ILLINOIS PATRIOT, December 20, 1831–1837+: It was a Whig paper edited until 1837 by Charles Jones and James G. Edwards, who later founded the Burlington *Hawkeye*. Edwards was succeeded by Governor Duncan. In 1837 Josiah M. Lucas became its owner and he changed it to the **AEM**

ILLINOISAN, +1837–April 9, 1844: It was first edited by A. H. Buckner and Colonel John J. Hardin and afterwards by Mr. Lucas himself until 1843, when he leased the office to J. M. Hodge and William C. Swett. Hodge became editor about May 1, 1843, and Hodge and Swett were publishers until April 9, 1844, when the paper was discontinued. **HA**

JACKSONVILLE BANNER AND MORGAN COUNTY ADVERTISER, 1832–——(?): Published by Charles Jones and Company, who evidently had withdrawn from his connection with Edwards in the *Patriot*. **A**

NEWS, April, 1834–——(?)+: Established by Robert Goudy, Sr.[1] By the beginning of 1835 it had been combined with the next following paper.

ILLINOIS STATE GAZETTE, October, 1834–——(?)+: Probably established by S. S. Brooks. By the beginning of 1835 it had been combined with the *News* as

ILLINOIS STATE GAZETTE AND JACKSONVILLE NEWS, +1835(?)–——(?): The issue for January 17, 1835, bears the double numbering 13 and 35 for the respective numbers of the combination. The paper was then edited and published by S. S. Brooks and John H. Pettit. On February 10, 1836, the double numbering was dropped, the older series being retained. Pettit withdrew July 12, 1836, and Brooks continued the paper alone for a time. After a period of suspension publication was resumed April 22, 1837, by S. S. Brooks, W. W. Curran, and D. G. Day. This partnership was dissolved November 11, 1837, and Brooks alone continued the paper for a short time. Democratic. **A**

LIBERTY'S SENTINEL, August, 1835–——(?): Edited by William H. Coyle. "Devoted to the interests of the Federal party." Probably short-lived.

COMMON SCHOOL ADVOCATE, January, 1837–——(?): The first publication devoted exclusively to the cause of education published in the "Great Far West." Edited and published by Calvin and Ensley T. Goudy.[2]

ILLINOIS STANDARD, March 10, 1838–1839: A Democratic paper, published by S. S. Brooks. It was probably a continuation of *Gazette and News*. Toward the close of 1838 the title was

[1] *Trans. Ill. State Hist. Soc.*, 1907, p. 316.

[2] *Ibid.* 1906, p. 336, Rev. Theron Baldwin is mentioned as editor. See Introduction.

changed to *Spirit of the West and Illinois Standard.* Publication stopped about the close of 1839. It was resumed as **A**

ILLINOIS DEMOCRAT, May 20, 1840–1842: A. V. Putnam was publisher; he was succeeded after a few months by William C. Swett. **A**

CHRISTIAN MESSENGER, 1843(?): Published by A. V. Putnam, presumably after he discontinued the *Illinois Standard.* It was at the office of this paper that the *Illinois Statesman* was printed.

ILLINOIS STATESMAN, April 29, 1843–May 27, 1844: Jonathan B. Turner was editor and proprietor and the paper was printed at the office of the *Christian Messenger.* It stood for "true Republicanism against all Locofocos and Demagogues, whether pretended Whigs or Democrats" and was remarkable for its independence. **SH**

MORGAN JOURNAL, 1845–1858+: It was a Whig paper edited by William H. Sigler and published by W. C. Swett; J. B. Shaw was editor in 1847; later Dr. E. R. Roe, Paul Selby, under whom the paper became Republican at the time the party was organized, and W. H. Collins, who changed the name in 1858, when it became the **SF**

JACKSONVILLE JOURNAL, +1858 to date: First under the management of William H. Collins with H. Barden as printer; Collins left the paper September 26, 1861, putting the management in the hands of W. C. Brown. Barden soon became publisher and continued until November 17, 1864. Through this critical time H. J. Atkins, William W. Jones, and others were editors. Barden was succeeded by Ironmonger and Mendenhall; they were succeeded by Ironmonger and Colonel G. P. Smith, editor, in 1865. The *Daily Journal* was started April 14, 1866; Colonel Smith was editor and sole proprietor from 1867–1869. Horace Chapin and Lyman B. Glover, editor, were publishers from 1869–1874, when Mr. Glover sold to Horace R. Hobart, who was part proprietor for one year. In 1875 Hobart sold to Milton F. Simmons, who became editor. Chapin sold in April, 1876, to Charles M. Eames; Simmons withdrew in 1878, and Eames was sole proprietor and managing editor until 1886, when the paper was incorporated under the name of the Jacksonville Journal Company. At present Hawes Yates is president, S. W. Nichols is treasurer and W. L. Fay is secretary. Mr. Nichols is editor. Files since 1859 in the office. **SE**

WESTERN STAR, January 7, 1845–1846(?): A publication edited by Rev. A. Bailey. "Devoted to religion, virtue, and knowledge." Baptist semi-monthly, printed by Wm. C. Swett. **H**

JACKSON STANDARD,[1] about 1847: Mentioned in *Illinois Annual Register* for 1847. Edited by J. S. and E. W. Roberts. Democratic.

CONSTITUTIONIST, 1852–(after 1855): Its editors were Dr. E. R. Roe; T. H. Cavanaugh; John M. Taggart. A daily was tried for a while but failed. A file of the *Daily Constitutionist*, February, 1854–May, 1855, is in Illinois College Library, Jacksonville. AS

TRI-WEEKLY PRESS, 1852: A Whig paper published by T. H. Cavanaugh. S

HATCHET, November, 1855: edited and published by W. T. Davis.

ILLINOIS SENTINEL, 1855–1876: Edited by J. R. Bailey, 1855–1873; Fanning and Paradice, 1873–1874; Gershom Martin, 1874–1876. It was published weekly and advocated the cause of first the Whigs and next the Democrats. *Illinois* was dropped from the title. Combined with *Enterprise* to form the *Courier*. Files owned by Mrs. J. H. Hackett, Jacksonville. S

ARGUS, 1859: Published by N. B. Walker. Short-lived.

CAMPAIGN ARGUMENT, 1860: Issued by C. J. Sellon. Short-lived.

DISPATCH, 1861–1862: Published by E. S. Trover.

INDEPENDENT, 1869–1874: Established by Ironmonger and Fink. Henry E. Fink was editor; Ensley Moore, assistant editor. In 1873 it was sold to Gershom Martin; later W. Y. Dowdall purchased an interest; later Fanning, Paradice, and Company of of the *Sentinel*. S

DEAF-MUTE ADVANCE, 1870 to date: A four-page weekly for deaf and dumb persons. Established by Phillip G. Gillett and Frank Read. Edited and published by Frank Read until 1892, when he associated with him Frank Reed, Jr. In January, 1898, the name was changed to *New Era*, and in 1903 to *Illinois Advance*. The publication was turned over to the Illinois School for the Deaf in 1900, since which time W. H. Clifford has been editor.

NATIONAL CROP REPORTER, 1873: Greene and Coulter were editors and publishers.

ENTERPRISE, 1874–1876+: Established by James S Hambaugh. Daily established in 1876. In 1876 T. D. Price and Company purchased this and the *Sentinel* office and changed the name to

ILLINOIS COURIER, +1876 to date: Edited by J. D. Price and Company, 1876–1882; Doying and Hinrichsen, 1882–1886, and from 1886–1892 Mr. Case was a partner; G. E. Doying and G. E. Doying's Sons, 1892 to date. The *Courier* is Republican. The files in the office are incomplete until after 1882.

[1] Listed as here stated, but probably it belongs under Shawneetown.

MORGAN MONITOR, 1876– ——(?): Listed in Rowell for 1880 as a Greenback publication established in 1876. J. R. Miller and J. C. Rahe were editors and publishers.

COLLEGE RAMBLER, 1878– ——(?): Published by the students of Illinois College. At first monthly, later semi-monthly.

JEFFERSONVILLE, WAYNE COUNTY

CHRISTIAN INSTRUCTOR, April, 1872: Removed from McLeansboro to Jeffersonville by George P. Slade. Slade was the editor, and C. E. Wolfe the publisher. The paper was a dogmatic devotee of the cause of the Christian Church, and did not live past December of its birth-year.

CHRISTIAN HERALD, 1872: Elder J. W. Stone was editor and publisher.

WAYNE COUNTY CENTRAL, 1873: Established by C. E. Wolfe and R. A. Moss and published from the office of the defunct *Christian Instructor*. In 1873 Moss was succeeded by J. M. Tracy, who took the office to Fairfield. In a short time Israel and Wolfe sold it to Professor W. S. Scott. Republican in politics.

THE EVANGELIST AT WORK, 1879: Established by Wall and Tracy. Continued one year, and then the office was closed. This was a church organ, devoted to "primitive Christianity."

————————: E. J. Hart, editor; Tracy, publisher. This was a Sunday school organ, name unknown, which continued through eight months.

JERSEYVILLE, JERSEY COUNTY

BACKWOODSMAN AND JERSEY AND GREEN COUNTIES ADVERTISER, +1839–1842+: Published at Grafton by Perry Mason, 1837–1839; edited by A. S. Tilden, 1840–1842 (see Grafton). Changed to

NEWSPAPER, +1842–1856+: Edited by Flitcher and Parenteau, 1842–1854; Thomas Wright, 1854–1856. Changed to

DEMOCRATIC UNION, +1854–1865+: A Democratic paper established by Thomas Wright, edited by H. H. Howard, 1857–1858; J. C. Dobelbower, 1858–1865. In 1865 it was bought by a stock company and the name changed to

JERSEY COUNTY DEMOCRAT, +1865 to date: Edited by Augustus C. Smith, 1865–1866; edited and published by T. J. Selby, 1866–1869; A. A. Wheelock and L. L. Burr, 1869–1870; J. A. J. Birdsall and J. I. McGready 1870–1871; J. J. McGready, 1871–October, 1880; J. M. Page, 1880 to date. The *Daily Democrat* was established in 1896 and still continues. Files since 1865 in the office.

FAMILY AND FARM JOURNAL, 1868–1870: Edited and published by Thomas D. Worrall. A monthly

PRAIRIE STATE,[1] 1850–1864: Established by Augustus Smith. In 1864 the Republican Club of Jersey county purchased the *Prairie State* of A. S. Smith, then editor and proprietor. A. C. Clayton edited the paper for the club, 1860–1862; Laubson Williams, 1862 to 1863 or 1864, when it came to an end. **SF**

JERSEY INDEPENDENT: See Grafton.

REGISTER, 1865–1868: Established by Frederick S. Houghawout, editor and proprietor. In 1867 sold to L. Williams, who afterwards moved to Topeka, Kansas, and his son, Charles F., leased the office and became editor and publisher. In 1868 the office was purchased by Colonel G. P. Smith of the Jacksonville *Journal*, who established the

REPUBLICAN, 1869–1880+: William H. Edgar was editor. In 1869 Chapin and Glover became proprietors; Edgar continued as editor. In 1870 Edgar became sole editor and proprietor. In 1880 the paper was consolidated with *Examiner* as *Republican Examiner*. Edgar and Locke conducted it until 1885, when Locke retired and was succeeded by Frank M. Roberts. In two months Edgar retired. Will H. Hedley became proprietor.

EXAMINER, August, 1878–1880+: Owned by a stock company under the name of Jerseyville Publishing Company. J. Sterling Harper was editor. Advocate of temperance cause. In three months the paper was leased by the editor, Harper, who withdrew entirely in two weeks. Morris R. Locke became editor and continued until September 10, 1880, when it consolidated with the *Republican*.

JOLIET, WILL COUNTY

COURIER, 1839–1843+: Called the *Joliet Courier*. A Democratic paper started by thirteen citizens of Joliet, three of whom, Charles Clement, Edmund Wilcox and Hugh Henderson, were the publishers. Its editor and printer was C. H. Balch. After many changes it passed over to D. S. Gregg and W. P. Hudson. In 1843 it was purchased by William E. Little, who changed it to **P**

SIGNAL, +1843–1893: Published by Judge S. W. Randall, 1844–1845; S. O. Stillman, 1845–1846; in 1846 it was sold to C. and C. Zarley, one of whom held an interest in it until it was sus-

[1] A history of Jersey County gives 1857 as the year in which this paper was started; but it is listed in Coggeshall's newspaper directory for 1856, a copy of vol. 3, no. 52, dated August 26, 1853, is in the New York State Library, and a copy of vol. 4, no. 20, dated January 14, 1854, is in the Illinois State Historical Library. Augustus Smith was editor and proprietor at that time.

pended. The interest of the junior Zarley was bought in 1874 by Peter Shutts. Edward D. Conley was the last proprietor. Democratic. Sold to the *News* about 1893. **PF**

TRUE DEMOCRAT, 1847–1862+: A Whig paper, later Republican, published by Alexander McIntosh, 1847–1849; H. N. Marsh, 1849–1852; Mr. McIntosh, 1852–1856. In 1856 Mr. McIntosh sold to Joseph L. Braden, who in 1862 changed the name to **F**

REPUBLICAN, +1862–1869+: Conducted by Joseph L. Braden. On his death in 1869 James Goodspeed bought the paper and changed the name to **A**

REPUBLIC, +1869–1883+: A daily was established about 1879. January 1, 1883, Goodspeed bought the daily and weekly *Sun* of C. B. Hayward and merged the two papers into the *Republic and Sun*. Upon his death, October 17, 1885, the paper was purchased by Robert Mann Woods, who changed the name to *Republican*, daily and weekly, and the paper is still published under that name. Files since 1884 in the Public Library. **PH**

SUN, 1872–1883+: Established by C. W. Hayward. Daily in 1874. United with the *Republic* in 1883. **PHU**

RECORD, 1870–1883: Established by D. C. Henderson. Sold to W. W. Stevens in 1880, when a daily issue was begun. Sold to the *News* in 1883. Democratic.

WILL COUNTY COURIER, 1874–1884: Moved from Lockport about 1874. H. W. Cook was editor. Published part of the time as a daily up to about 1884. A Granger organ.

HERALD, 1875–1876: Established by Roos and Rohr. Roos and Schmidt were editors and publishers in 1876.

PHOENIX, January, 1877–——(?): J. S. McDonald, editor and proprietor. This was the home office of a circuit of Phoenixes located at Joliet, Lockport, Wilmington, Lemont, Braidwood, Peotone, and Plainfield. Each had its own local editor.

NEWS, April, 1877 to date: A morning paper established by Charles F. Dutcher as an Independent. Bought in October, 1877, by Nelson, Ferriss, and Company, who made it a Greenback organ and added a weekly edition called *Greenback News*. Files of the *News* complete to date in the Joliet Public Library. **P**

WOCHENBLATT, 1877–1880(?): A German paper, moved from Beecher by Charles M. Henssgen; ran about three years; Mentioned in Ayer for 1881.

JONESBORO, UNION COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1849 to date: This paper was established and edited by Thomas J. Finley and John Evans. They sold it to H. E. Hempstead, who conducted it for nearly two years, and then John

Grear appeared as editor, 1855–1857. Then it passed into the hands of Governor Dougherty and espoused the cause of Democracy as represented by Stephen A. Douglas, but later it supported the principles of the Breckenridge wing. The paper was next sold to a joint stock company, and edited by Mr. McKinney. In 1860 it came under the control of James Evans, who, in 1861, sold it to William Jones. In 1863 it was suppressed because it interfered with the work of recruiting volunteers. The order of suppression was soon revoked and the publication was revived by Joel G. Morgan, who, in 1864, sold it to J. D. Perryman. During the greater part of its existence up to this time it was edited by Dr. Sidney S. Condon. T. F. Bouton became owner in 1866. He sold in 1893 to A. S. Tibbets, the present owner and editor. Bouton is said to have made the *Gazette* the most influential Democratic paper in southern Illinois, and to have been himself the most widely known of Illinois country editors. Files (incomplete to 1864) in the office. A

UNION COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1858: It was established by a joint stock company and edited by A. H. Marscholk. It was a Douglas paper intended to counteract the influence of the *Gazette*, which was then an anti-Douglas organ. After the election of 1858 the office was moved to Anna.

UNION COUNTY RECORD, 1860–——(?): Conducted by W. H. Mitchell, Anna, Illinois. It was short-lived and succeeded by another short lived paper, the *Union County Herald*. Republican.

ADVERTISER, 1871–1878: Established by George M. Dougherty. Republican.

JUBILEE COLLEGE, ROBIN'S NEST, PEORIA COUNTY

MOTTO, July 26, 1847–——(?): A small pamphlet issued at irregular intervals of from one to six months in the interest of Jubilee College, established in 1847 by the Episcopal church of the diocese of Illinois. Much of the matter was contributed by Bishop Philander Chase. The publication was continued at least to October, 1852. SH

KANE, GREENE COUNTY

EXPRESS, 1873–——(?): An edition of the White Hall *Register;* edited by Charles H. Johnson to 1876; Henry Johnson; then Will O. Reed. Independent.

TIMES, 1874–——(?): An edition of the Carrollton *Gazette*. J. S. Carr editor; Price and Sons publishers, in 1879.

KANKAKEE, KANKAKEE COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1853 to date: Edited by A. Chester, 1853–1856; D. S. Parker, 1856–1869. In the absence of Mr. Parker as a soldier during the Civil War, Mr. J. B. Atkinson conducted and edited the paper. For a brief period Mr. W. F. Keady was associated with Parker. In 1869 Mr. Parker sold to Charles Holt. The first numbers of the *Gazette* were published in Chicago by the Chicago Journal Company, there being no place yet built in Kankakee where a press could be set up. This continued for a few weeks only, when the press and type were sent to Kankakee, and for a time the work was done in the open air under the shade of a friendly tree. In December, 1886, the firm became Charles Holt and Sons. March, 1905, Clarence E. Holt purchased his brother's interest and the firm became Charles and C. E. Holt. Charles Holt died July 21, 1908, at the age of ninety-one and the *Gazette* became the property of Clarence E. Holt. **F**

DEMOCRAT, 1858–1862; 1864 to date: Edited for a short time by Cyrus B. Ingham and H. Austin; next by Messrs. Austin and James Green. This partnership was soon dissolved and Hon. A. C. Lake assumed the editorship. Mr. Lake sold to B. A. Fuller, who conducted the paper through the Buchanan campaign. Mr. Fuller sold to W. N. Bristol, who continued to edit amd publish it until 1859, when J. B. and Gabriel Durham purchased it. Messrs. Durham published it until 1862, when they joined the army and its publication ceased. In 1864 Cyrus Ingham resumed the publication and later sold to W. L. Henry, who published it until 1881. In December, 1881, Mr. Henry sold it to E. B. Buck, and the name was changed to *Herald*. In 1885 Mr. Buck sold it to R. H. Ballinger, who changed the title of the paper to *Chief*. Ballinger sold the paper in 1887 to Alfred Doolittle and W. J. Brock. It was then published under the name of the *Kankakee County Democrat*. W. J. Brock bought Mr. Doolittle's interest in 1888, and continued to publish the paper until January, 1892. In 1892 it was purchased by the Democrat Publishing Company; T. B. Collins and J. B. Smith publishers. A daily was started in connection with the weekly, February 22, 1892. The paper is now being published by this firm.

JOURNAL DE L'ILLINOIS, January–September, 1857+: Founded by A. Grandpré and Claude Petit; the first French newspaper published in the state. In September, 1857, it was moved to Chicago.

UNION, 1862–1866(?): A Democratic paper started by Cyrus B. Ingham.

REVIEW, 1865–(after 1880): Established by N. H. Taylor. Thomas Kelly bought an interest. Sold to W. F. Keady who changed the name to *Times*. Originally Independent, then Republican; supported Greeley in 1872; became a Greenback organ; then supported Garfield in 1880.

TIMES, 1868 to date: Owned by W. F. Keady; George B. Keady and Company, ——–1881: Livingston and Keady, 1881–——(?); Keady and Ernest Shaw owned the paper in 1883; Dunlap and Livingston in 1897, with H. J. Dunlap as editor. Republican. Name changed to Republican in ——; now published by Kankakee Republican Company; M. H. Bassett, editor.

COURRIER DE L'ILLINOIS, 1868– (after 1883): Established by a number of French citizens under the management of A. Grandpré, who later became owner. Republican. U

HERALD, 1872–(after 1882): H. C. Henry, editor and publisher. Between 1880 and 1882 he sold to E. B. Buck. Democratic. HU

KANSAS, EDGAR COUNTY

NEWS, 1873–1877: W. W. Bishop was editor and publisher.

REPUBLICAN SUN, 1878–——(?): William S. Rose was editor and publisher in 1879. Probably changed to *Journal*. Republican.

CITIZEN, 1868–1873: E. F. Chittenden was editor and publisher.

KASKASKIA, RANDOLPH COUNTY

ILLINOIS HERALD, 1814[1]–1816+: The first paper in Illinois, published by Matthew Duncan,[2] printer to the territory and publisher of the laws of the Union to 1815; Robert Blackwell and Daniel

[1] Vol. 1, no. 30. is dated December 13, 1814. If the paper was regularly issued and numbered, it must therefore have been begun June 24, 1814. But an advertisement in the one number extant is dated May 28, 1814.

[2] Matthew Duncan, the first printer in Illinois, was an elder brother of Governor Joseph Duncan. He was born in Kentucky; after graduation from Yale College, he returned to his native state, and for a time edited a paper at Russellville entitled the *Mirror*, which had been established November 1, 1806. From that he became editor of *Farmer's Friend*, begun in the same town in 1809. Ninian Edwards, first territorial governor of Illinois, had been a lawyer at Russellville and was his friend. Through him Duncan secured the printing of the first edition of the Illinois Territorial Laws, issued from his press in 1813. In the next year Duncan moved his printing establishment to Kaskaskia and began the *Illinois Herald*. In December of 1814 he issued the first pamphlet published in Illinois, and in June, 1815, the first book, volume one of "Pope's Digest." Having sold his paper to Daniel P. Cook and Robert Blackwell in 1817, Duncan abandoned journalism and entered the army, in which he rose to some prominence, and saw active service in the Black Hawk War. On October 4, 1832, he was made captain of Rangers, and in 1833 became captain of the First Dragoons. After four years of service he resigned from the army and went into business at Shelbyville, where he died on January 16, 1844. (Julia Duncan Kirby, *Joseph Duncan*, Fergus Hist. Ser. no. 21, Chicago, 1888. Reuben Gold Thwaites, *The Ohio Valley Press before the War of 1812-15*, p. 43.)

P. Cook, 1815–1817. In 1817 Elijah C. Berry became a co-editor. A small sheet, with four columns to the page, and largely given over to the printing of official documents. In the hands of Blackwell and Cook, state printers, the name was changed to **S**

WESTERN INTELLIGENCER, +1816–1818+: It was published weekly. Following are the files in the St. Louis Mercantile Library: 1816 — Vol. 1 runs from May 15, 1816, to May 21, 1817. The volume is incomplete, lacking July 2, 16; September, 12, 19, 26; October 9, 16. 1817 — There is lacking February 26; May 28; June 4, 11, 18, 25; July 2 to September 3. 1818 — From January–May 20 the file is complete excepting February 18. With the issue of May 27 the paper became the **EM**

ILLINOIS INTELLIGENCER, +May 27, 1818–1820+: Moved to Vandalia in 1820. The files for 1818 and 1819 are complete except for March 31, 1819, in the St. Louis Mercantile Library. **EMHA**

REPUBLICAN ADVOCATE, February 27, 1823–March 2, 1824+: A pro-slavery paper established and nominally edited by R. K. Fleming. Elias Kent Kane seems to have been the real editor until he was elected to the Senate in 1824, after which time John Reynolds was probably in control. The paper was in favor of a convention in 1824 and of slavery, but was open to letters against both causes. It supported Crawford. With the number for January 22, 1824, the editorship passed to William Orr, who changed the title to **F**

KASKASKIA REPUBLICAN, +March 9, 1824–1825(?): William Orr was editor and gave ardent support to the convention party. The paper was still being published in October, but was temporarily discontinued, probably in 1825. After a period of sus pension it was revived as **ASF**

ILLINOIS REPORTER, 1826–1829(?): William Orr was editor. He denied affiliation with any party in the State, and felt impelled to rally the virtuous and intelligent to the standard of another party. Apparently his rally was not successful, for he sold to Sidney Breeze within a few months — in June or July. Under Breeze the paper supported the administration and Daniel P. Cook, though Breeze had been a Jackson man. L. O. Schrader was Breeze's publisher for a while, and was probably succeeded in 1828 by R. K. Fleming. **A**

WESTERN DEMOCRAT, August 19, 1829–1830+: Established by R. K. Fleming. Hooper Warren announced, in the Galena *Advertiser* for August 31, receipt of the first number, saying, "This is the sixth paper now published in Illinois." The editorial address included, "As we published, in this state, pending the late

presidential canvass, the only paper which took a decided stand in favor of the successful competitor for the first office in the nation, it will scarcely be expected by those who were, of right, in the opposition, that we should *now* retrace our steps . . . etc." Although Fleming was printer, and the only person whose name appeared on the paper, it is clear that Sidney Breeze was really editor. He wrote to Ninian Edwards September 21, 1830: "If I remain in politics I am determined to make Gov. Reynolds *choose* between Smith and myself, in other words between the *Crisis* and *Democrat*. . . . Do give your views of them, editorially, *thro' me*, in the *Democrat*." The paper supported Reynolds for governor. Title changed to **A**

KASKASKIA DEMOCRAT, +January 2, 1830–1831: In the issue for November 27, 1830 (vol. 2, no. 9) the editor announced that the paper had 300 subscribers. In the *Western Ploughboy* for January 24, 1832, a news item reveals that "the Kaskaskia *Democrat* has been discontinued." A file, in two bound volumes, was in the library of Judge Sidney Breeze at the time of his death, but it has not been recently located. **AM**

RANDOLPH FREE PRESS, 1832: Published by R. K. Fleming. Short-lived.

REPUBLICAN, June, 1840–1849; Published at first by James Fitzsimmons. At the beginning of vol. 2 J. D. Owings and M. Morrison were editors; William E. Jones was proprietor. Publication was suspended in 1844, and the outfit was bought by Pierre Menard, who allowed any one to use it who would run a paper. Publication was revived in 1846 by Parsons Percy and a Mr. Wallace. From them it passed in 1848 to Peter W. Baker; then B. J. F. Hanna bought the plant, and in 1849 removed it to Chester, where he published the *Herald*. Cairo **SA**

KEITHSBURG, MERCER COUNTY

OBSERVER, 1856–1858+: It was edited by Col. Patterson. Independent as to politics, Changed to

MERCER COUNTY DEMOCRAT, +1858–1859: A Democratic paper edited by W. R. Calhoun.

NORTHERN ILLINOIS COMMERCIAL, 1859: Short-lived. Published by a commercial company with Mr. Calhoun as editor.

DEMOCRATIC PRESS, 1860–1861: Owned by Thomas B. Cabeen and conducted by V. B. Shouf.

OBSERVER, 1862–1870: A revival of the former *Observer*, by J. A. J. and G. D. B. Birdsall. The latter seems not to have been actively connected with the paper. At first non-partisan; later Democratic. Sold in 1865 to A. G. Lucas, who conducted it as

a Republican paper for one year and sold to Isaac McManus, who after six months sold to Theodore Glancey. In 1870 Glancey sold the paper and it was removed.

WEST END KERANA, 1871–1873: Established by Theodore Glancey; afterward called *Kerana*. Henry Hurst, and later Edward Thomas, were connected with Glancey on the paper.

NEWS, April, 1874 to date: Started by W. C. Brown. Afterward owned by Taylor and Blackman, T. B. Cabeen and C. A. Fricke, and William H. Heaton. Heaton secured the paper in 1877 and conducted it as a Greenback publication. It has been conducted by George W. Dick since 1902. U

KENNEY, DEWITT COUNTY

REGISTER, 1875–1876: Owned and edited by W. L. Glessner, publisher of the *Clinton Register*. The *Kenney Register* was printed in the office of the *Clinton Register*, and distributed in Kenney. It was continued more than one year, beginning July 16, 1875.

RECORD, 1877: Established by J. W. Wolfe; published one year, then abandoned. The office was moved to Mt. Pulaski, Logan county.

KEWANEE, HENRY COUNTY

HENRY COUNTY DIAL, 1855–1868+: It was run by citizens of Kewanee and edited by J. H. Howe until September, 1855, when C. Bassett became its owner. In June, 1856, he sold it to J. H. Howe and H. M. Patrick. November 13, 1856, Mr. Howe sold his interest to his partner, who associated O. White with himself as editor. Mr. White withdrew January 8, 1857. Mr. Patrick conducted it alone, 1857–1858; L. D. Bishop, 1858–1860. J. E. Wheeler, one of the founders of the *Chicago Tribune*, was editor from 1858 or 1859 until 1866. He was succeeded by Hiram Wyatt, who associated with himself Mr. Shurtleff during the campaign of 1868. George W. Wilson soon became editor and proprietor and he sold to N. W. Fuller, who changed the name to the F

KEWANEE RADICAL, +1868–1870: The paper was discontinued in 1870.

ADVERTISER, February, 1856–——(?): Established by Chauncey Bassett. The first of several papers bearing this name. F

TENNEY, HARDY AND COMPANY'S ADVERTISER, 1856–1863: Issued the first year by Tenney, Hardy, and Company, then by C. Bassett. It was published monthly.

UNION DEMOCRAT, July, 1863–November, 1864: Published by C. Bassett. P

ADVERTISER, April, 1866–November, 1867: Started by C. Bassett.

ILLINOIS ADVERTISER, 1868–1869: Issued from the office of the *Dial* as an advertising sheet.

ADVERTISER, July, 1870–1871+: Started by C. Bassett and after six months changed to

INDEPENDENT, +1871–——(?): Edited and published by C. Bassett. Discontinued after 1895, the *Democrat* succeeding.

PUBLIC SCHOOL MESSENGER, January, 1870–1872: Edited by W. H. Russell, superintendent of schools. Published one year by N. W. Fuller, and one by C. Bassett. P

COURIER, March, 1876 to date: Established by C. N. Whitney, who retired in 1879, when T. H. Chesley and Brother leased the plant. In January, 1882, it was purchased by T. H. Chesley, who published it twenty years, when it was sold to L. W. Chandler and others. In 1896 it was purchased by Delano and Henderson, soon afterward again to the management of T. H. Chesley. In May, 1898, it was consolidated with the *Star* under the name of the *Star-Courier*, published daily and weekly. It is now owned and continued under this name by the Kewanee Printing and Publishing Company. Daily began in 1895. P

KINMUNDY, MARION COUNTY

TELEGRAM. 1867–1868+: Established by Col. J. W. Fuller; sold to H. H. Chesley, who in 1868 sold to out Messrs. O'Bryant and Pyles. In July, 1868, Pyles withdrew, when O'Bryant changed the name to

DEMOCRAT, +1868+: In four months the name was again changed to

INDEPENDENT, +1868 to date: Hazleton bought an interest in the paper; his connection was brief. In November, 1871, Edward Freeman purchased the office. In 1873 J. R. Grove became partner. In three months Grove withdrew. Freeman was editor and publisher in 1879; F. O. Grissom in 1907. Neutral in politics. U

BULLETIN, January 1–April, 1875: Edited and published by T. B. Pyles. Thirteen numbers were issued.

REGISTER, April 1–September, 1879: Established by W. L. Arnold. Twenty-six numbers were issued, after which the plant was taken back to Salem, whence it had been brought.

KIRKWOOD, WARREN COUNTY

NEWS, 1875–1880: W. H. Leedham was editor and publisher.

KNOXVILLE, KNOX COUNTY

JOURNAL, 1849–1856: Edited by John S. Winter under the firm name of Winter and Collins, 1849–1852; Mr. Winter, sole editor and proprietor, 1852–1855; John Regan, 1855–1856. It was at first Independent as to politics. Under Mr. Regan it became a Democratic paper. **F**

JOURNAL AND ADVERTISER, 1856(?): Listed in Coggeshall's newspaper directory for 1856.

KNOX REPUBLICAN, October 8, 1856 to date: First edited by John Regan. Started as a campaign sheet two weeks prior to the presidential election in 1856; two weeks after the election it passed into the hands of John S. Winter, John Winter, and R. M. Unions. April 7, 1858, John S. Winter and Company retired from the management and Beatty and Robinson became editors and publishers. Mr. Beatty retired, leaving W. T. Robinson publisher and sole proprietor, who in 1875 sold out to F. A. Lanstrum. In 1876 it fell into the hands of the present editor and publisher, O. L. Campbell. It is said that this paper was the first to bring out the name of Abraham Lincoln for the presidency in 1860. **F**

ZION'S BANER, 1871–——(?): Edited by Rev. C. Anderson, published by George Larkee. A Swedish-Lutheran journal, semi-monthly. (See under Galesburg, p. 186.)

KNOX COUNTY REVIEW, 1879–——(?): N. J. Crump was editor and publisher. Independent.

DIOCESE, 1874–1878+: Edited by Charles W. Leffingwell, Rector of St. Mary's School, Knoxville. January 1, 1879, the name was changed to *Province* (vol. 6, no. 1), edited by George H. Higgins, and published in Galesburg. A religious monthly, published in the interests of the Episcopal church. **HU**

KYTE RIVER, OGLE COUNTY

LEADER, 1861(?): Listed without details in Kenney's *American Newspaper Directory* for 1861.

LACON, MARSHALL COUNTY

HERALD, 1837–1840+: At some time after March 18, 1840, became the **A**

ILLINOIS GAZETTE, +1840–1866+: Which was changed in 1866 to the **F**

HOME JOURNAL, +1866+: and later the

JOURNAL, +1866 to date: Under these names edited by A. N. Ford, 1837–1858; Joshua Allen, 1858–1866; Spencer Ellsworth, 1866–1884; Spencer Ellsworth, Jr., 1884–1896; W. B. Powell, 1896–

1897; Charles F. Hacker has been editor and publisher since 1897. It was a weekly paper supporting at first Whig, and afterward Republican principles. Files are in possession of W. H. Ford, Lacon, and of Spencer Ellsworth, National Stock Yards, St. Clair county.

HERALD, 1850–1854+: Editors: Jesse Lynch, J. W. Mason, Chandler and Golliday. P. K. Barrett was editorial successor of Mr. Chandler. It was an advocate of Democracy. Changed to

SENTINEL, +1854–1869+: Editors: John Harney, 1854–1857; Ira Norris, 1857–1869; William French, 1869. Mr. French sold to Myers and Bell and the name became the

ILLINOIS STATESMAN, +1869–1873: French and Greist as editors and publishers, 1869; C. DeHart and Company, 1870; William French, 1871; Bell and Wilson, 1872; W. B. Tapley, 1873.

INTELLIGENCER, 1855–(after 1858): Edited and published in 1858 by Ira Norris. F

DEMOCRAT, 1867–1868: Established by J. S. Ford, who discontinued the paper after one year. An office was subsequently brought from Chillicothe and the publication continued.

MARSHALL COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1876 to date: In 1879 William B. Whiffen was editor and publisher; in 1908 Frank C. Sorrels.

LaHARPE, HANCOCK COUNTY

HANCOCK DEMOCRAT, +1853: Edited by Dr. Rankin, who removed it from Warsaw, ran it a few months, and sold to Thadeus Clark and Wesley H. Manier. He moved it to Carthage and established the *Republican*. (See Warsaw *Commercial Journal*.)

STAR OF THE WEST, 1858 or 1859: Published by Henry King and Frank Nash. Short-lived.

HOME NEWS, 1869–——(?): Published by James L. King. Continued but a short time.

LEADER, November, 1874–1875+: Begun by H. G. Rising. After a year it was sold to L. S. Cogswell, who changed it to

LA HARPER, +1875 to date: Sold in 1878 to J. C. Coulson, who continues to publish it. Effie M. Coulson is editor. Independent. Files from 1906 in the office. U

LAKE ZURICH, LAKE COUNTY

LAKE ZURICH BANKER, 1856: Edited and published by Seth Paine. It was "devoted to manhood without distinction of sex, color, nation, or condition." Paine conducted an "untainted money" bank, and ran the paper to expound his principles. He was afterward sent to an insane asylum.

LAMOILLE, BUREAU COUNTY

CHRONICLE, 1871–1872: Established by C. N. Whitney; edited and published by him.

CLIPPER, 1876– ——(?): Edited by R. P. Chadwick.

LANARK, CARROLL COUNTY

CARROLL COUNTY BANNER, 1864–1871: Published by John R. Howlett until September, 1867, when the paper was sold to James E. Millard, who discontinued publication in 1871. The equipment was sold and moved to Davis, Illinois, thence to Pecatonica, where it was used in the office of the *News*.

CARROLL COUNTY GAZETTE, 1868 to date: John R. Howlett removed the office of the *Gazette* from Shannon (which see). When Howlett sold the *Banner* to Millard he agreed not to publish a paper in Lanark within one year. Millard soon secured an injunction to stop the publication of the *Gazette*. Howlett then sold the paper to John M. Adair, who ran it six months and sold it to Howlett. The office was destroyed by fire April 29, 1872. After a few days the paper was continued by the Gazette Printing Company, with Howlett as editor and manager, until 1875. George Hay ran the *Gazette* two months, then took W. W. Lowis as a partner. In 1877 Hay sold out to F. H. B. McDowell, who later in the year secured entire control. W. G. Wild was editor and publisher in 1908.

THE BRETHREN AT WORK, 1876–1880(?): Established and edited by J. H. Moore, M. M. Eshelman, and J. T. Meyers. In 1877 Meyers' interest was bought by S. H. Bashor. In 1880 M. M. Eshelman, S. J. Harrison, and J. W. Stein were editors and publishers. In a way this paper was a continuation of the *Brethren's Messenger*, published by J. T. Meyers in Germantown, Pennsylvania. A Dunkard paper.

LANE (now ROCHELLE), OGLE COUNTY

LEADER, 1853–1861+: Published by John R. Howlett, 1858–1861. Changed to

PATRIOT, +1861–1862+: It was edited by Prof. James A. Butterfield. Its publication was suspended and in 1863 it was revived as the

REGISTER, 1863 to date: When the name of the town was changed, in 1865, the name of the paper was changed to correspond. (See Rochelle.)

LA ROSE, MARSHALL COUNTY

VIDETTE, 1872 to date: In 1876–1879 T. M. Hatton was editor, S. Ellsworth, publisher, and the paper was printed in the office of the Lacon *Home Journal*. In 1880 the Vidette Company were

publishers. By 1884 the Vidette Publishing Company were editors and publishers. It afterward (before 1891) became *Reveille* edited and published by Spencer Ellsworth. A Republican paper.

LA SALLE, LA SALLE COUNTY

STANDARD, 1851–1852: Mr. C. C. Bonney and W. H. Powell were editors, and H. W. Underhill was publisher.

HERALD, 1852–1854+: Published and edited by Daniel Evans. It appeared weekly and its columns were devoted to the interests of the Democratic party. It became the **F**

JOURNAL, +1854–1858: Edited by J. A. Kirkpatrick. It was moved to Peru.

WATCHMAN, 1852–1855+: A Whig paper, published by E. T. Bridges. It first appeared weekly and afterwards semi-weekly. It was discontinued in November, 1855, having been sold to E. C. Webster, who changed it to the **EF**

LA SALLE COUNTY PRESS, +1856–1883+: Started by Charles Boynton and E. C. Webster. After December 10, 1856, to 1883 it was run by Mr. Webster alone, except from 1858–1860, when R. C. Stevens was a partner. Independent as to politics until May, 1856, when it became an organ of Republicanism. In 1883 Mr. Webster sold to A. J. Reddick, who began the *Democrat-Press*. **F**

INDEPENDENT, August 6, 1853: Begun under the editorship of T. S. Seybold and Company. It had a short life.

DEMOCRAT STANDARD, 1858–1860: Published by K. T. Barrett.

REPORTER, 1871–1876: Founded by A. C. Rathbon and Willard H. Smith. In 1875 Willard H. Smith sold to A. A. Bassett. Paper lived one year longer.

INDEPENDENT, 1875–1876: Edited and published by Willard H. Smith. Republican paper. Purchased by A. J. Reddick, who started the

DEMOCRAT, 1876–1883+: Edited and published by A. J. Reddick. The plant was burned 1883; Reddick then bought the *Press* and continued the *Democrat-Press*.

VOLKSBLATT, 1877: Started by F. Arste; lived six months. German.

LAWNRIDGE, MARSHALL COUNTY

CITIZEN, 1868–1870: Wolfe and Casson were editors and publishers in 1869. The paper was printed at the office of the *Chillicothe Citizen*.

LAWRENCEVILLE, LAWRENCE COUNTY

STAR SPANGLED BANNER, 1847–1848+: A non-political paper under the editorship of J. F. Buntin. Changed to

AMERICAN BANNER, +1848–1856+: Mr. Buntin moved it to Olney, from Olney to Russellville and then back to Lawrenceville. Changed to

LAWRENCEVILLE BANNER, +1856–1858+: Still edited by Mr. Buntin, who changed the name to

WESTERN GLOBE, +1858–1868+: At first it was edited by H. C. McCleave and D. L. Brewer, who made it a Democratic paper. Mr. Buntin finally came into possession of it and associated with him for a time Nat. Lander. Mr. Buntin made it a Republican paper and called it the

LAWRENCE COUNTY GLOBE, +1868+: In 1868 Buntin took it to Cumberland county.

LAWRENCE COUNTY JOURNAL, 1867–1869(?)+: A Democratic paper owned and edited by W. C. Luken. J. F. Buntin bought the paper in 1869(?) and made it the

LAWRENCE COUNTY COURIER, +1869–1872(?): Published by J. F. Buntin for a part of the time from an office in Bridgeport. Twice burned out.

LAWRENCE COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1871–1873+: Established October, 1871, by W. C. Garrard, editor and publisher. Sold after two years to S. B. Rowland, who changed the name to

FARMERS' UNION, +1873–1874+: T. B. Lowery was editor and ran the paper in the interest of the Grange movement. In 1874 it became the

DEMOCRATIC HERALD, +1874 to date (1895): J. W. Mehaffy succeeded Lowery as editor and made a Democratic paper of the sheet. Rowland sold in December, 1875, to James K. Dickerson, who sold in December, 1878, to Riley and Garrard. Will M. Garrard became owner in January, 1880. After one year Huffman and Meserve bought the paper and Frank C. Meserve became editor. In 1891–1895 Charles F. Breen was editor.

RURAL REPUBLICAN, 1873 to date (1895): Established by Daniel L. Gold. In 1874 or 1875 Mary Buntin bought the paper. She sold to Sam B. Day in November, 1880. In 1891 E. S. Kingsbury and Company were editors and publishers; H. B. Andrews, 1895.

LEBANON, ST. CLAIR COUNTY

ILLINOIS ADVOCATE AND LEBANON JOURNAL, 1848–1852: A religious paper published under the direction of the Trustees of McKendree College; edited by E. Wentworth and others.

LITERARY GEM, 1855–1856: Published by Collins Van Cleve. It was Republican.

ILLINOIS SONS OF TEMPERANCE, 1860–1862: Established by George W. Moore and James P. Snell. In 1862 it was suspended.

JOURNAL, 1867 to date: Established by H. H. Simmons. In 1873 he sold to Dr. T. W. Eckert who in 1875 sold to J. S. Padon. In 1876 Eckert repurchased the paper and in 1877 sold to Nelson Abbott. Mortgage was foreclosed and the paper reverted to Eckert. In 1878 he sold to J. R. Connor, who in turn sold to J. F. Ash and the name was changed to *Reveille*. In 1881 the office passed into the hands of O. V. Jones and in the same year it was changed back to *Journal*. Jones associated with himself C. W. Metzer for three months. In 1885 at the death of Jones, his son, William L. Jones, became sole editor, owner, and publisher.

COURIER, 1876: Established by E. H. Elliff. A Democratic campaign paper. At close of campaign the office was moved to Red Bud.

MCKENDREE REPOSITORY, 1867–1876: At first edited and published by students of McKendree College; later by members of the literary societies of that institution. A semi-monthly.

LEE, LEE COUNTY

MONITOR, 1878–——(?): Established by Ena G. Cass and J. B. Gardner, May, 1878. Printed in the office of the *Lee County Times*, Paw Paw Grove.

LEMONT, COOK COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1870: B. Van Buren was editor and publisher.

PHOENIX, 1877–1879: W. P. Haughey was editor, McDonald Ferries and Company publishers in 1877; Haughey was editor and publisher in 1879. Printed at the office of the Joliet *Phoenix*.

LENA, STEPHENSON COUNTY

STAR, January 4, 1867 to date: Established by John W. Gishwiller and Samuel J. Dodds, with Dodds as editor. In March Dodds withdrew, and in May John M. Shannon took control of the paper. James S. McCall bought out Shannon on February 12, 1869, and James W. Newcomer became editor and manager. W. W. Lowis bought the paper April 5, 1878, and sold to A. O. Rupp April, 1892. Irving S. Crotzer bought it the next year. Charles O. Piper bought the paper on March 24, 1905, and combined with it the *Independent* (established 1900); the property was held by an incorporated company. Howard C. Anman became editor and manager August 27, 1908. October 22, 1909, D. W.

Gahagan bought the concern and is running the paper. Republican. Published twice a week, November 3, 1908–May 7, 1909. Files in office.

LE ROY, McLEAN COUNTY

EXCHANGE, September, 1870–1872: Established and conducted by J. W. Wolfe. He is said to have gone then to Mt. Pulaski and to have started the *Citizen*, although the account of that paper does not agree in detail with such a statement.

SUCKER STATE, 1871: A short-lived paper started by J. S. Harper; in 1872 Harper and Salim were editors and publishers.

ENTERPRISE, 1874: Established by C. M. Davis. Independent. **U**

LEWISTOWN, FULTON COUNTY

FULTON DEMOCRAT, 1840–——(?): The first paper printed in Lewistown; was published in 1840 by William McDowell for perhaps a year.

FULTON BANNER, 1843–1845: Published by Billmire and Conner. A paper of the same name was published in Canton on 1846.

REPUBLICAN, March 19, 1844–1854: Edited by Henry Young. It was a Whig paper and favored Clay's election to the presidency. **A**

FULTON GAZETTE, 1845–1846: Published by Charles McDowell and J. M. Davidson.

ILLINOIS PUBLIC LEDGER, 1850–1854: It was established and at first edited by S. S. Brooks, later by C. E. Griffith. Joseph Dyckes was its proprietor. Moved to Canton. **S**

FULTON DEMOCRAT, July, 1855 to date: The first editor was J. M. Davidson, 1855–1858; Davidson Brothers for a brief time in 1858; William T. Davidson, 1858 to date. For a few months called Lewistown *Democrat*. Independent-Democratic in politics. **F**

ILLINOIS PUBLIC REGISTER, 1854: Published thirteen weeks by J. M. Rankin.

UNION, 1864 (1865?)–1871: Established by DeWitt Bryant. Changed hands often, being owned for a time by Phelps and Bryant, then by Phelps and G. A. Hyde, then by G. A. Hyde and his father, and finally by G. A. Hyde alone. The paper ceased publication in 1871 when the equipment was moved to Ipava.

NEWS, 1875 to date: Established by George Yarnell to advertise his job office. He made it a regular newspaper in 1876. November, 1879, it was merged with the Vermont *Chronicle*, taking the name *News-Chronicle*, published by Yarnell and W. L. Ketchum, of the *Chronicle*. In 1881 it passed into the hands of

Selah Wheadon, who took L. C. Breeden into partnership in 1882. Wheadon died in 1883 and Breeden continued as editor and publisher until 1906, when he was succeeded by W. D. Meek. Democratic since 1883.

LEXINGTON, McLEAN COUNTY

GLOBE, 1858–1863: Established in 1858 by James D. Moudy with J. A. Anderson as associate editor. Moudy sold to Ira A. Batterton and W. F. Craig in March, 1859. Batterton sold out to Craig in the fall of 1859. Craig sold his interest in the paper to George W. Knotts and Jacob C. Mahan in 1860. The *Globe* was Independent in politics until Batterton and Craig purchased it; it then became and remained strongly Republican. Files from 1859 to 1861 in possession of A. V. Pierson, Lexington, Illinois. It was succeeded by the

HERALD, April, 1863–——(?): Established by Isaac S. Mahan with John D. Rogers as associate editor. Independent in politics. A few copies are in possession of A. V. Pierson, Lexington, Illinois.

COURIER, April, 1869–1871+: Established by J. W. Fisher and E. W. Edwards. They sold to Thomas Faddis, who then sold to Bovard Brothers. Independent. They changed the name to

BANNER, +1871–1872: H. H. Parkinson was publisher. Prohibition.

MACKINAW SENTINEL, January, 1871–1873+: Independent. Established by John D. Rogers and I. S. Mahan. They were succeeded by C. M. King, who changed the name of the paper to

ENTERPRISE, +1873–1877(?): C. M. King was editor and publisher. Independent.

MONITOR, 1875–——(?): Established by Bovard Brothers.

LOCAL LEADER, 1879–1883+: Established by Keifer and Leek. C. M. Leek was editor in 1879. In March, 1883, it was succeeded by the *Review*, of which W. H. Shepherd and Stark were proprietors. Greenback.

LINCOLN, LOGAN COUNTY

HERALD, January 1, 1856 to date: It was founded and edited by Koudy and Fuller, 1856; Joseph Reed, 1856–1857; O. C. Dake for a joint stock company of twelve persons, 1857–1860; A. B. McKenzie had a controlling interest, 1860–1863; J. C. Webster, 1863–1866; Andrew McGalliard, 1866–1873; Smith and Mills, 1873–1877; F. B. Mills, 1877–1901; Pinkerton and Cross combined the paper with the *News* as the *News-Herald;* Morris Emmerson, 1902 to date. A daily issue since 1902. Republican.

LOGAN COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1856–1863+: Controlled by a joint stock company, 1856–1863; Samuel Johnson from late in 1863 until he sold it to J. C. Webster, in 1864, who merged it into the *Herald*. Under Mr. Johnson it was known as the

LOGAN COUNTY COURIER, +1864. E

EXPERIMENT, January 4, 1860–——(?): Established by Stephenson and Bowen; issued daily. It was published but a few months.

INTELLIGENCER, June, 1866–1869: Established by Henry Sturgess. Sold in 1867 to D. L. Ambrose. The paper was discontinued in Lincoln, 1869, and moved to Winchester, Scott county. Republican.

STATESMAN, 1867–1873+: Established by Thomas J. Sharp. About December, 1873, the *Statesman* was bought by Samuel Reed, who formed a partnership with R. B. Forrest of the *Journal* The two papers were united to form the *Lincoln Times*. Democratic.

SILVER LEAF, 1872(?)–——(?): An amateur monthly, conducted by James T. Freeman in 1872.

JOURNAL, May to December, 1873+: Founded by Wallace Nall, who sold in December, 1873, to R. B. Forrest. The latter formed a partnership with Samuel Reed, and they merged the *Journal* and the *Statesman* into the *Times*. Democratic.

TIMES, +December, 1873 to date: Formed late in 1873 or early in 1874 by the union of the *Statesman* and the *Journal;* Samuel Reed and R. B. Forrest, publishers. December, 1875 to 1880 Wallace Nall and Brother were proprietors. On January 1, 1880, the *Times* was sold to T. H. Stokes, 1880–1895; Smith and Baskett, 1896–1903. Sold to John Edmonds and Clara W. Moulden and consolidated with *Courier* as *Times-Courier*.

ALUMNI JOURNAL, 1873–1877: A college monthly, published by the alumni of Lincoln University.

ILLINOIS VOLKSFREUND, February, 1874–1875: Established by T. J. Sharp; bought in spring of same year by L. P. Wolf and Charles E. Knorr. Knorr retired in October, 1874, leaving Wolf sole owner. German. In 1875 the paper was purchased by Mr. Fisher, who changed the name to the

VOLKSBLATT, +1875 to date: Bought by Nall Brothers in 1876. C. E. Knorr bought it again in 1877 and conducted it until 1898. In 1898 it was bought by P. F. Mueller and consolidated with the *Rundschau* (established 1896), as the *Volksblatt-Rundschau*. It was bought in 1905 by Sexauer Brothers. In 1908 Emil Sexauer purchased the interest of B. F. Sexauer and now is the sole proprietor and publisher. Democratic.

SHARP'S WEEKLY STATESMAN, February, 1874–1876: Founded by Thomas J. Sharp. Democratic. November, 1875, Sharp associated with himself Colonel W. D. Wyatt, and they started in connection with *Sharp's Weekly Statesman* the

DAILY STATESMAN, November 1, 1875–1876+: Established by Thomas J. Sharp and Colonel W. D. Wyatt. April, 1876, Mrs. Anna Wyatt became owner and changed the name to

DAILY NEWS, +1876–1877+: Changed from *Daily Statesman* by Mrs Anna Wyatt, owner, from April, 1876. Colonel Wyatt remained as editor until August, 1876. From then until March 17, 1877, the office was leased to Samuel Reed. Joseph B. Bates purchased it March 17, 1877, and established the

LOGAN COUNTY REPUBLICAN, +1877–1879: Established by Joseph B. Bates, who had purchased the *Daily News*, and changed it to a weekly. It was bought February 4, 1879, by F. B. Mills and merged into the *Herald*.

LOGAN COUNTY JOURNAL, June–October, 1877: Established by E. F. L. Rautenberg. In October, 1877, it was consolidated with the *Volksblatt* by Nall Brothers, about the time the *Volksblatt* was sold to Knorr. German.

LOGAN COUNTY BEE, 1877: Established by George L. Shoals, editor of the Atlanta *Argus*. Published six months and discontinued.

SENTINEL, July, 1878–March, 1881: Established by Dutcher and Pierce; Pierce withdrew soon after and Dutcher then sold to A. F. Smith; Smith published the paper until March, 1881, when it was discontinued. Daily.

DAILY NEWS, November, 1878– ——(?): Established by Wolf and Edmonds; name changed to *Daily Times* and later, in July, 1879, to *Leader*, and published for fifteen months thereafter by Edmonds Brothers.

A. O. U. W. AND I. O. M. A. REPORTER, 1878–1880: The official organ of Ancient Order of United Workmen and Independent Order of Mutual Aid. Edited and published by William A. Howard. Semi-monthly.

CALL, March, 1879: Established by McBeth and Hawley and published but a few months. Daily.

TEMPERANCE BUGLE, March 15, 1879–1880: "A temperance paper for the West, devoted to Prohibition, Social and Political reform." Edited by Albert F. Smith.

LEADER, 1879–——(?): Established by Edmonds Brothers. Daily.

LITCHFIELD, MONTGOMERY COUNTY

JOURNAL, April, 1855–1863+: Edited and published by H. A. Coolidge, who removed from Cazenovia, N. Y., in February, 1857. In May it announced the views expressed by Douglas in December following. It supported Douglas for senator in 1858 and for president in 1860. Leased in 1863 to a Mr. Cook, then to John Harris and Thomas B. Fuller, who changed the name to **F**

DEMOCRAT, +1863–1864+: After a year under the editorship of B. F. Burnett, Coolidge sold the office to E. J. Ellis, who changed the name to

PRAIRIE CITY ADVOCATE, +1864–October, 1865+: This in 1865 became the

NEWS, +1865–1867: Owned by E. J. C. Alexander, who made it a Republican paper. Discontinued in April, 1866, though Alexander printed part of his Hillsboro *Monitor* as the *News* until 1867.

CAMPAIGNER, 1860: A campaign paper established by J. P. Bayless and Dr. H. H. Hood. Only a few numbers were issued.

INDEPENDENT, June–September, 1861+: Established by Kimball and Taylor; edited by H. A. Coolidge. After fifteen issues consolidated with the *Monitor*.

ILLINOIS FREE PRESS, May, 1862: Removed from Hillsboro by its editor, J. B. Hutchinson. Suspended after a few weeks.

REPUBLICAN MONITOR, December, 1867–1868+: Edited by B. S. Hood. After four months it became the

UNION MONITOR, +1868 to date (1895): Hood sold to C. L. Bangs and Ed. Gray in 1870, but remained on the staff. After many changes H. A. Coolidge became editor in 1872. B. S. Hood became editor again on 1878, and continued until after 1884. In 1891–1895 S. W. Kessinger was editor and publisher.

REVIEW, Summer—December 5, 1872: Established by William Fithian, formerly an editor of the *Monitor*. George B. Litchfield was printer. Suspended December 5 and material sold to *Monitor*.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY DEMOCRAT, November, 1874–——(?): Established by G. B. Litchfield, who was connected with Coolidge in the *Union Monitor* for some time before 1874, and Robert S. Young. After a few months Litchfield assumed sole management. For a year in 1879–1880 Col. Ben. E. Johnson was associated with Litchfield as editor and business manager. After Johnson withdrew Litchfield sold to Charles Tobin, who afterward changed the name to *Advocate*. **U**

LIBERAL, 1872: B. S. Young was editor and publisher.

LITTLE FORT, LAKE COUNTY

LITTLE FORT PORCUPINE AND DEMOCRATIC BANNER, March 4, 1845–(after March, 1847): Established by A. B. Wynkoop as proprietor, and N. W. Fuller as publisher. With the number for October 20 N. W. Fuller's name is given as editor; on September 22, 1846, A. B. Wynkoop was editor, proprietor and publisher, and remained so to the end of the second volume. **H**

LAKE COUNTY VISITER, April 20, 1847–——(?): H. W. Blodgett was editor and N. W. Fuller publisher. Declined to publish advertisements of intoxicating liquors. A file of about six months does not show any change in these items. The paper was prohibition and anti-slavery. No mention is made in its columns of the *Porcupine*. It may be surmised that the *Porcupine* was discontinued at about the time the *Visiter* was begun. **H**

LITTLE ROCK, KENDALL COUNTY

PRESS, +February, 1854: Edited by Charles R. Fisk. Continued three months and then moved to Mendota.

LOCKPORT, WILL COUNTY

WILL COUNTY TELEGRAPH, 1848–——(?): Edited by H. M. Fuller, 1848–1849; edited by Judge G. D. A. Parks and published by Mr. Fuller, 1849–1850; John M. Moon was editor for citizens who owned it, 1850; Dr. J. F. Daggett, who was for a few months, assisted by Mrs. P. W. B. Carothers, 1850–1857. The paper underwent several changes in proprietors. It was Independent in politics. Vol. 3, no. 2, is in the possession of Frank W. Scott, Urbana, Illinois. **NF**

PHOENIX, 1875–1901+: Edited by J. S. McDonald. McDonald, Ferriss and Company, publishers in 1876; John Curran, 1884; Leon McDonald, 1891–1901. One of a group of *Phoenixes* printed in Joliet. Consolidated with *Advertiser*.

AMERICAN EDUCATOR, 1875–1882(?): L. W. Applegate, editor and publisher in 1882. Monthly.

STANDARD, 1876–1878+: Became

WILL COUNTY COMMERCIAL ADVERTISER, +1878–1901+: Published by Hawley and Curran, 1878–1879; A. G. Hawley, 1880–1899; T. A. Cheadle, 1899–1901. In 1901 this paper and *Phoenix* were consolidated under the ownership of the Will County Printing Company, and the editorship of Leon McDonald and T. A. Cheadle. On this basis the paper is still published. Republican.

COURIER, 1873 to date (1874): Edited and published by Cook and Grimwood. Independent.

LODA, IROQUOIS COUNTY

GARDEN STATE, 1856–1860: Established by D. S. Crandall; edited and published by C. E. and E. R. Crandall in 1857. Independent in politics; continued four years. F

INDEPENDENT, 1866: Published for one year by J. W. Wolfe.

NEWS, 1871–1873: Published for two years by A. E. Rathbun.

REGISTER, 1875 to date: Edited and published by Dr. J. C. Dunham. Dr. E. McBurney was editor from about 1890 to 1908. In 1908 Addison G. Curtis became editor. The office of issue was moved to Paxton in 1883. In 1900 Dunham sold the paper to J. W. Dunnan.

TIMES, 1879–(after 1891): Edited by Volney Weaver; published by N. E. Stevens.

LONG POINT, LIVINGSTON COUNTY

JOURNAL, 1872–1873: A short-lived paper issued by Samuel Silik. Printed at the office of the El Paso *Journal*.

LOSTANT, LA SALLE COUNTY

JOURNAL, 1872–1873: E. F. Baldwin was editor and publisher. An edition of the El Paso *Journal*. Republican.

LOUISVILLE, CLAY COUNTY

JACKSONIAN DEMOCRAT, before 1859–1866: Thomas H. Dawson was editor in 1859 and until 1865, when he sold to John Farris. Farris discontinued it in 1866. Democratic.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE, 1864–1873+: A Republican paper edited and published by Edward Hitchcock, 1864–1872; C. R. Davis, 1872–1873. He sold to Kendall and Miller, who changed the name to

CLAY COUNTY TRIBUNE, +1873–1877: Kendall withdrew in 1874 and H. R. Miller continued the paper until 1877, when the plant was removed to Vandalia.

LEDGER, 1868–1877; 1882–1907: A Democratic paper financed by Robert McCollum and Gen. James B. Smith. Thomas B. Pyles was editor, 1868–1873; J. A. Apperson, 1873–1875; W. H. Hudelson, 1875–1876; C. R. Davis, 1876–1877; G. Hoff, a short time in 1877; J. T. McCollum became editor in 1877 and changed the title to

LEDGER DEMOCRAT, +1877–1882+: But when J. A. Henry became editor in 1882 the old name *Ledger* was resumed. Henry was editor, 1882–1891; O. C. Gaston, 1891–1906. The paper was discontinued in 1906, but was revived for a few months in 1907 by John B. Barnhill.

LOVINGTON, MOULTRIE COUNTY

INDEX, 1875–1876+: Edited by D. C. Whetzell. In 1876 the paper passed into the hands of W. C. Devore, who changed the name to

FREE PRESS, +1876: Edited and published by W. C. Devore. Independent. Later he moved to Farmer City.

ENTERPRISE, 1879–(about 1882): Established by Benjamin Biddlecome. W. J. Priest was associated with him. In 1880 Priest was succeeded by W. S. Tolby. In 1880, called the *Weekly Enterprise*. It was discontinued about 1882, after several changes in ownership.

LOWELL, LA SALLE COUNTY

GENIUS OF UNIVERSAL EMANCIPATION, (see Hennepin).

GENIUS OF LIBERTY, December 19, 1840–April, 1842: Established by the La Salle County Anti-Slavery Society, with Zebina Eastman and Hooper Warren as editors and publication agents. Beginning July, 1841, it became the organ of the Illinois Anti-Slavery Society. The paper suspended publication in April, 1842, but was revived three months later in Chicago as *Western Citizen*. HA

LOW POINT, WOODFORD COUNTY

SENTINEL, 1877: Power and Harl, publishers. Democratic.

LYNDON, WHITESIDE COUNTY

FREE PRESS, 1873–1875: John Gray, editor, Lyndon Publishing Company, publishers. 1874; R. C. Olin, editor, William C. Snyder, publisher, 1875. Printed at the office of the Fulton *Journal*. Republican.

McHENRY, McHENRY COUNTY

PLAINDEALER, 1875 to date: A Republican paper with J. Van Slyke as editor and publisher. In 1909 F. G. Schreiner was editor and publisher.

McLEANSBORO, HAMILTON COUNTY

NEWS, 1855+: Edited by J. D. Moody. Changed to

SUCKER, +1855–1860+: Which was edited by A. J. Alden. In all, six volumes were published. In 1860 Mr. Alden sold the *Sucker* to J. W. Meador, who changed the name to

HAMILTON EXPRESS, +1860–——(?)+: J. W. Meador bought the *Sucker* and renamed it as above. He soon sold to C. C. Carpenter, who renamed the paper

HAMILTON DEMOCRAT, +——(?)+: After a few months a tramp printer named Martin rented the establishment and changed the paper's name to

VOX POPULI, +——(?): Soon suspended. All of these papers were Democratic. Material afterward sold and used to publish

UNION EAGLE, 1864–1865+: T. L. Lockhart bought the *Vox Populi* outfit, and John P. Stelle became editor, conducting it as a Republican paper until the spring of 1865, when it was sold and became the

HAMILTON DEMOCRAT, +1865–1869+: Owned by Lorenz Goodridge, edited and managed by T. T. Wilson as a Democratic paper. Wilson soon retired and the paper was continued by Goodridge until his death, after which C. E. Wolfe was editor for a time. T. B. Stelle then became proprietor. In 1869 R. L. Brown bought the paper and named it the

TIMES, +1869 to date: R. L. Brown sold, in 1872, to George K. and John C. Edwards who supported Horace Greeley for the presidency. M. B. Friend bought the paper in the spring of 1873. It was suspended for a time on account of a conflagration. Friend sold in October, 1878, to J. R. and C. Campbell. J. R. Campbell became sole owner in 1883. He was succeeded by Daniel and Howell, who were running the paper in 1907. Later Frank Locket took charge of it. It is now edited by M. E. Daniel.

GOLDEN ERA, January, 1872–1884: Established as a Republican paper by John Coker and John P. Stelle, as Coker and Stelle. In 1873 the proprietors were Stelle and Mrs. Catherine Coker. In January, 1874, W. W. Davisson bought an interest in the paper. Published by Davisson and Stelle until March, 1878, when Davisson assumed full ownership. He sold in 1884 to J. R. Campbell, when it ceased publication. About 1876 the *Golden Era* became a Greenback paper and remained so until discontinued.

CHRISTIAN INSTRUCTOR, January, ——(?)1872: Edited by George P. Slade. C. E. Wolfe was one of the publishers. Published but a few months.

PROGRESSIVE FARMER, 1872–1873: Edited by John P. Stelle. A monthly paper published from the office of the *Golden Era* for about a year. Moved to Evansville, Indiana.

HAMILTON COUNTY HERALD, 1876–1878: Niles B. Friend, editor and proprietor. Democratic. It was moved elsewhere after two years.

MACOMB, McDONOUGH COUNTY

McDONOUGH INDEPENDENT, 1851–1855+: Begun as an Independent paper edited by George W. Smith and published by Theodore L. Terry. It became Democratic in the last year of its career, advocating the Kansas-Nebraska bill and opposing the repeal of the fugitive slave law. It was changed to

McDONOUGH INDEPENDENT AND DEMOCRATIC REVIEW, and on September 14, 1855+, it was changed to the

McDONOUGH DEMOCRAT, +1855–1857: When it became the *Democrat* R. M. Royalty became a partner with Mr. Smith. Mr. Royalty retired in 1856 and Mr. Smith continued its publication until the next year.

ENTERPRISE, 1855–1860+: Established by T. S. Clarke and D. G. Swan with L. H. Waters as editor. First a neutral paper, it soon came to support the anti-Nebraska cause and then the Republican party. Mr. Clarke soon withdrew. In 1855 its publication was discontinued a few weeks, when B. R. Hampton became editor. In 1857 Mr. Swan retired and firm became Hampton and Fowler, 1857–1859. When, in 1860, Mr. J. W. Nichols became proprietor, he changed the name to **F**

MILITARY TRACT JOURNAL, +1860–1861+: James K. Magie purchased a half-interest and the name became the

JOURNAL, +1861 to date: Edited by Mr. Nichols, 1862–1864. He sold his interest to Mr. Magie in 1864, and T. S. Clarke became editor soon, assisted by C. L. Sanders. Mr. Magie appeared as editor, 1865; B. R. Hampton, 1865–1870; Mr. Hampton and W. H. Hainline, 1870–1881; Mr. Hainline, 1881 to date. There is a complete file in the office of the *Journal* except the first year it was the *Enterprise*. It was Republican.

EAGLE, 1856 to date: C. H. Whitaker, proprietor. Democratic. T. J. Dudman was editor in 1908.

LEDGER, 1860: Started by T. S. Clarke and lived four weeks.

WESTERN LIGHT, January–December, 1868: Established by S. J. Clarke and Charles P. Whitten. Whitten retired after four months. Suspended in December.

ILLINOIS GRANGER, September, 1873–1876+: Started by H. H. Stevens and E. A. Hail. Supported the anti-monopoly movement and the Patrons of Husbandry. Its name was changed in 1876 to

INDEPENDENT, +March, 1876–1880+: Stevens bought Hail's interest in December, 1876. It supported the Independent Greenback movement. It was moved to Colchester, McDonough county, in 1880, and became the *Colchester Independent*.

MACON, MACON COUNTY

TRIBUNE, September–December, 1867: Edited and published by John J. Smith.

MAGNOLIA, HENRY COUNTY

NEWS, 1871–1877: H. K. Smith was editor and publisher. Independent. U

MAHOMET, CHAMPAIGN COUNTY

SUCKER STATE, 1879 to date: C. A. Nebeker was editor, C. M. Baker, publisher, in 1880. Published under this name until about 1902, when it was changed to the *Magnet*. After a period of about six months, the name was changed again to the *Sucker State*. Files lost or destroyed, except those for the last six years, which are in the hands of Charles M. Pearson, who has been editor and publisher since 1903.

MAJORITY POINT, CUMBERLAND COUNTY

CUMBERLAND DEMOCRAT, 1869–1880: B. Frank Bowen was editor and publisher in 1869; George E. Mason, 1873–1874; George E. Mason, editor, Mason and Mumford, publishers, 1875; E. Gorrell, editor, Mumford and Gorrell, publishers, 1876; W. D. Mumford, 1877–1880. Democratic.

REPUBLICAN MAIL, 1872– ——(?): Edward Hitchcock editor and publisher in 1875; William Overman, 1876; Henry T. Woolen, 1877; Caldwell Brothers were editors and publishers in 1879. By 1880 the name was changed to *Cumberland Republican*, still run by Caldwell Brothers.

MALTA, DEKALB COUNTY

MAIL, 1877–1886: Established by D. C. Needham, who sold to G. W. Morris in November, same year. Subsequently two sons entered the firm, which became G. W. Morris and Sons, then, in 1881, G. W. Morris and Son. Republican. The list of the *Malta Mail* was sold about 1886 to the DeKalb *Review*.

MANCHESTER, SCOTT COUNTY

SCOTT COUNTY ARROW, 1878 to date (1884): In 1882 E. J. Pierce was editor, Pierce and Clapp publishers; E. J. Pierec editor and publisher, 1884. Republican.

MANSFIELD, PIATT COUNTY

JOURNAL, 1873–1875: John S. Harper and a Mr. Wolfe were editors and publishers; the paper was printed at the office of the Farmer City *Journal*.

MAQUON, KNOX COUNTY

TIMES, 1879– ——(?): Edited by John Regan, proprietor of the Elmwood *Messenger*, at which office the *Times* was printed.

MARENGO, McHENRY COUNTY

JOURNAL, August, 1856–1857: It was published by Edward Burnside. Its successor was the

WEEKLY PRESS, with a few years' existence.

REPUBLICAN, 1867 to date: In 1868 D. C. Potter became editor. Since 1868 J. B. Babcock has been editor and proprietor. Republican. Printed at Belvidere at first. U

MARION, WILLIAMSON COUNTY

WESTERN FAMILY MONITOR, 1850–1855: A bi-monthly established by W. H. Willeford, and at first issued from his home, seven miles from Marion, where in 1838 he had set up the first printing press in what is now Williamson county. In 1855 business men of Marion bought the press and stock of material, and established the

INTELLIGENCER, 1855–1866+: I. B. Jones was editor and publisher. There were many changes in editors, publishers, and managers. It is said that Robert G. Ingersoll was manager and editor for a time while he practiced there as a lawyer. In 1881 DeBard Rock and John McGarvey were editors and managers. Suspended for awhile after the beginning of the Civil War. Democratic. Name changed to

STAR, +1866+: Owned by a company and published as the organ of the county Democracy. It was sold in the fall, and the name changed to

OLD FLAG, +September–November, 1866: Edited and managed by Dr. Samuel H. Bundy through the campaign.

DEMOCRATIC ORGAN, 1860: Probably a campaign paper.

OUR FLAG, 1866–1874+: The first Republican paper in the county. Owned by a political organization, including George W. Sisney, William N. Mitchell, David G. Young, S. M. Mitchell, William M. Hindman, Jesse Bishop, and George W. Young. Lyman E. Knapp and Jesse Bishop were editors and publishers. John I. Hogg, James F. Connell, and Samuel O. Hart were later editors; for a while Judge Jesse Bishop shaped the policy of the paper. James F. Connell was editor and publisher in 1870; in the next year Judge Bishop again controlled the office. After some changes, both of name and control, the material was sold in 1874 to James P. Copeland, who changed the name to

MONITOR, +May, 1874 to date: The paper was burned out within a month, but was immediately re-established by Copeland and George W. Young. Copeland was editor and publisher. John F. Lusk bought Young's interest in 1877, and sold in 1879 to John H. Duncan and E. E. Mitchell. These men, with W. C. S. Rhea and William H. Boles formed a stock company in 1886, absorbed the *Independent* (established 1886) and renamed the *Monitor* as *Leader*. Copeland was editor for a year; then O. J. Page bought and edited it; he sold in 1888 toArthur Roberts and Thomas M. Mitchell. In 1904 the paper was taken over by a stock company, and Arthur Roberts was made editor and publisher. He was soon succeeded by Oliver J. Page, who continues in the position. A daily was published for a while in 1900, and revived in 1909. Republican.

OLD FLAG, 1867(?): Established by Lyman E. Knapp after he had ceased to be editor of *Our Flag*. Republican.

GAZETTE, 1870: An Independent paper established by Green Stewart, George Culp, Fergis Farris, and T. J. Helton. Only five numbers were issued.

PEOPLE'S FRIEND, 1869–1874+: An Independent Democratic paper established by Mit. A. Bates, who in 1874 sold to W. R., Richard H., and C. D. Brown. The name was changed to

WILLIAMSON COUNTY ADVOCATE, +1874–1875: Conducted for about a year by W. R., Richard H., and C. D. Brown.

WILLIAMSON COUNTY PROGRESS, 1872: Established by John A. Wall. Republican.

FARMER'S ADVOCATE, 1873–1874: Established by H. G. Blood and John Palmer. Democratic in tendency, but published in the interest of the farmers. Merged in the *Democrat* in 1874.

WILLIAMSON COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1874: R. H. and O. G. Brown were editors and publishers. Continued but a short time.

EGYPTIAN PRESS, 1875 to date: A Democratic paper established by a stock company with Will S. Washburn as manager, editor, and publisher. It is now owned and published by Samuel Casey and James H. Felts. The *Press* was started as a weekly, but it is now issued twice a week. The *Evening Post*, a daily, is now issued by the owners of the *Press*. U

MAROA, MACON COUNTY

TIMES, January–November, 1866: A rabid Democratic paper established by T. J. Sharp, who, after a number of collisions with various citizens, was badly beaten on November 27 and ordered out of town. He obeyed the order.

TABLET, February, 1868: A paper established by James DeLacy, who soon abandoned it.

TRIBUNE, February, 1869–1871: Conducted by A. H. Corman, who discontinued it in March, 1871.

NEWS, April, 1872 to date: Established by Henry B. Funk. Funk sold to Axton and Jones in 1875; A. H. Corman became editor, and continued in the office until 1877. After many changes Turner O'Banion was editor and publisher in 1880. In 1908, as *News-Times*, it was edited and published by Mr. Bennett. Neutral.

BUDGET, December, 1875–1877+: Started by Stratton, Axton, and W. Carey. T. O'Banion bought Carey's interest in 1876, and he and Axton edited it until August, 1877, when Axton retired and O'Banion changed the name to

MESSENGER, +August, 1877–1878: Edited by T. O'Banion until January, 1878, when he sold to Frank Bennett, who ran it a month.

MARSEILLES, LA SALLE COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1867–1868(?): Edited and published by A. Sinclair. Apparently discontinued in 1868.

CITIZEN, 1869–1870: Conducted by Hayward Brothers, C. B. and W. W. It burned out and was discontinued.

ADVERTISER, 1869–1874+: Established byAlbert Burton and Irving Carriers as an Independent local weekly. After a while Carriers withdrew and the name was changed to

HERALD, +1874–1879+: Published by Burton Brothers; then by Ira George and D. B. Burton; then by Baldwin and Douglas; then by David Burton. Later it was sold to Stone and Smith, who changed the name to

REGISTER, +1879 to date: It became a Republican paper. Stone Brothers succeeded Stone and Smith as editors and publishers. After having passed through several hands it is now published by M. F. Bovard and Son.

PLAINDEALER, December, 1876 to date: Established by Terry Simmons as a monthly; later changed to semi-monthly, then to weekly. It has continued since as a weekly without change of editor or proprietor. Complete file in possession of Mr. Simmons.

MARSHALL, CLARK COUNTY

ILLINOIS STATE JOURNAL, 1848–1853: A Democratic organ established by John M. Crane and Nathan Willard, Mr. Crane withdrawing soon after the paper was established. In 1853 Mr. Wil-

lard sold the paper to J. C. Robinson and Jacob Zimmerman, who also purchased the

TELEGRAPH, July 3, 1852–1858: A Whig paper edited by Joseph G. Jones and published by S. P. Farley and J. G. Jones. Before the end of the first year S. F. Andrews and J. K. Carr, then Charles Summers and J. Zimmerman were publishers, with Summers as editor. Combined with *Illinois State Journal* to form the *Eastern Illinoisan* in 1853. One source of information says that the *Telegraph* was revived in April or May of 1854 by J. K. Carr and S. F. Andrews, but the scattering numbers through 1853, 1854, and 1855 indicate no break. Andrews and Carr seem to have continued through 1855, then Andrews alone. J. K. Carr retired in the fall of 1854, and Andrews conducted the paper in the support of the Republican party until 1858. **SHF**

EASTERN ILLINOISAN, +1853–1865: J. C. Robinson and J. Zimmerman were editors and publishers in 1854. From 1856 to 1861, S. S. Whitehead was proprietor. Edward L'Hote was publisher in 1858. For a few months in 1861 it was run by H. H. Peyton, who finally entered the army and Mr. Whitehead was forced to assume control. He continued its publication until 1865 when it was purchased by John Littlefield and its publication suspended for thirteen years. After its revival it became a Democratic paper, edited by B. F. Ward. It was later absorbed by *Clark County Democrat*, now published by Bennett and Barber and edited by Norman Bennett. **HF**

ILLINOIS STATE DEMOCRAT, February 10, 1849–1852(?): J. M. Crane was editor, Crane and N. Willard were publishers. In 1852 N. Willard was publisher, editor, and proprietor. **SUH**

JOURNAL, 1858–1859: Started by N. O. McKeen and John A. Whitlock in the interest of the Republican party. Edited for a while by Whitlock alone; then as an Independent paper by W. S. Goodell. Absorbed in the fall of 1859 by the *Illinoisan*.

HORNET, 1860: Established by E. L'Hote; J. R. Bulion, editor. Republican. **H**

FLAG OF OUR UNION, 1861–1864(?): Established by John Littlefield, a man with "Know Nothing" sympathies, but conducted as favoring the preservation of the Union. It ran through three volumes. It seems that he discontinued this paper when he bought *Eastern Illinoisan*.

MESSENGER, 1865 to date (1891): John Littlefield was editor and Chess Littlefield publisher in 1866, but the latter soon withdrew. By 1874 Ham and Eth Sutton were editors and publishers and continued so in 1875; but in 1876 John Littlefield was again running the paper. In the early 80's Charles Littlefield became

associated with his father in the business, and eventually succeeded him. By 1891, Charles Littlefield had become editor and publisher. The paper was absorbed later by *Clark County Democrat*. Independent. H

CLARK COUNTY HERALD, August 1868 to date: Established by M. O. Frost. In 1882 he sold to L. S. Kilborn and Son. In 1895 the Messrs. Kilborn sold to G C. Harner, who, after a few months, sold back to them. They continued publication until May 1, 1900, when they sold to George O. Baird and Company, who in turn sold to Charles Scott. Republican. H

CHURCH PROGRESS, 1878–1884: Established by Rev. Charles Kuhlman as a monthly, local, Catholic organ; became semi-monthly in 1880, and weekly in 1882. In 1884 or 1885 it was moved to St. Louis, where it is still published.

MARTINSVILLE, CLARK COUNTY

EXPRESS, 1871–——(?): Jerry Ishler, editor; M. O. Frost, publisher. An edition of the *Clark County Herald*, of Marshall.

MARYSVILLE, VERMILLION COUNTY

INDEPENDENT, 1877: Published by Ben. Biddlecome. Independent.

MASCOUTAH, ST. CLAIR COUNTY

NEWS LETTER, 1860–1861: Published by August Hamilton and edited by Alexander G. Hawes. Republican. In 1861 consolidated with *Advocate* at Belleville.

WACHENBLATT FÜR MASCOUTAH UND UMGEGEND, January, 1862: ——(?): Small German sheet published during the war. It had a brief existence.

ENTERPRISE, 1869: Fred Dilg and E. W. Griffin were editors and publishers. Short-lived.

HERALD, 1871 to date: Brought to Mascoutah from Lebanon, Illinois, by Carl Montag, who is still publishing it. Democratic.

BANNER, 1872–1875: Established by Frederick Dilg, edited by W. D. Shelley, J. N. Perrin, and Philip Leibrock. Monthly. In 1873 Shelley and J. H. G. Brinkerhoff made it a weekly. In two months Brinkerhoff sold his interest to Shelley and Leroy W. Free. In two months Free's interest was purchased by Henry Pabst. In 1874 office sold to Messrs. Wassein and Binz, Mr. Brinkerhoff as eqitor. In 1875 Brinkerhoff purchased the paper, and after nine months it was suspended.

ENTERPRISE, November, 1875–May, 1876: Established by George Auerswald. Independent. U

ANZEIGER, 1876 to date: Established by Fred Dilg, who for six months had associtaed with him Philip Leibrock. Dilg sold in 1889 to Bocquet and Winkler. John Winkler became sole owner for a few months. He sold in 1881 to C. J. Lischer, the present owner. Independent local paper.

MASON, EFFINGHAM COUNTY

LOYALIST, 1863: Established in April by George Brewster. It was "a rank exponent of Abolitionism." After a turbulent career of nine months it was removed to Salem, where it was soon discontinued.

MASON CITY, MASON COUNTY

NEWS, 1867–1871: A neutral paper edited and published by Haughey and Walker.

INDEPENDENT, 1871–1891+: In 1879 Haughey and Warnock were publishers; J. C. Warnock was editor. J. M. Haughey, 1882–1884; Ruth and Roach, 1891; Ruth and Montgomery, 1895. In 1891 all of the newspaper business in Mason City was consolidated in one office and the editor, S. B. Roach, named the aggregation *Times*. He sold to L. Y. Sikes in 1896, and Sikes to G. D. Sutton in 1901. Sutton sold to Edward Wilson in 1903, and Wilson to Ben C. Rickard in 1905. Republican under Roach and Sikes, Democratic under Sutton, and Independent under Rickard. U

JOURNAL, 1872–1891+: W. S. Walker established the paper and conducted it until 1874 or 1875, when he sold to Wells Corey. By 1884 Frank Corey had become associated with Wells Corey as publisher. Republican.

MATTOON, COLES COUNTY

NATIONAL GAZETTE, 1856–1867+: Established by Messrs. Houghton and Spencer. With one short intermission Mr. Houghton conducted the paper until 1859, when he sold to McIntyre and Woods. Shortly after the firm name appeared as Harding (W. P.) and McIntyre. A third time Mr. Houghton secured an interest in the *Gazette*, which he held when killed in a battle of the Civil War. In 1865 the paper came under the charge of W. P. and J. O. Harding — brothers; Harding and Bostwick, 1866–1867. In 1867 it was bought by some citizens, Democrats, and its name changed to the

DEMOCRAT, +1867+: They soon disposed of the paper to Taylor and Brown, who changed it to

CLARION, +1868: They, in a short time, stopped its publication. Leonidas Chapin, of Mattoon, has a few copies.

JOURNAL, November, 1865 to date: Established by W. O. Ellis. Republican. In 1866 sold an interest to Captain Thomas E. Woods, who became editor. Woods assumed entire control in 1869 and retained it until March, 1876, when his brother, Winfield Woods, became associated with him. W. F. Purtill bought an interest in 1879. He soon became sole owner and remained so until 1894, when C. W. Twitchell became manager, to be suc-ceeded in January, 1899, by M. H. Bassett. In the fall of 1899 M. H. Bassett and D. D. James bought the paper. James soon sold to Bassett and Andrews. Bassett was in charge until January 2, 1905, when he and Andrews sold to H. F. Kendall, who merged the paper with the *Gazette* in *Journal-Gazette*. Weekly and daily except Saturday and Sunday, since 1874.

RADICAL REPUBLICAN, December, 1867–1871+: Established by Ebenezer Noyes. Sold in 1871 to A. Bookwalter, who changed the name to

COMMERCIAL, +1871 to date: Noyes suspended publication in 1872, but the paper was revived in October by R. Sumerlin and Sons. They sold in August, 1876, to a stock company with A. Sumerlin as editor and manager. A few years later Sumerlin became owner and continued so until 1908, when a stock company was formed with Sumerlin and Ed. Poorman as principal stockholders.

GAZETTE, 1872 to date: Revived by C. B. Bostwick and George B. McDougall. The latter sold to Bostwick in 1874 and Bostwick conducted the paper until about 1888, when C. G. Peck became associated in the publication. Peck was soon left in control of the paper and remained so until October 1, 1895, when H. F. Kendall bought the property. He sold a half interest to Frank C. McElvain in 1896. McElvain sold in 1899 to E. B. Tucker. Mr. Kendall bought the *Journal*, and the two papers were consolidated as *Journal-Gazette*, with H. F. Kendall, president, and E. B. Tucker, secretary-treasurer, of the Mattoon Journal Company, which owns the property.

COLES COUNTY HERALD, 1878–——(?): John Haehnle was editor and publisher in 1879.

MEDORA, MACOUPIN COUNTY

ENTERPRISE, August, 1876–1878: J. H. Williams was editor, and Parker and Suddeth of the Brighton *Advance* were publishers.

ENSIGN, September 12, 1878: One number was issued, printed at the office of the Brighton *Advance*, and bearing the name of Herbert Lawson Durr as editor.

MENDON, ADAMS COUNTY

ENTERPRISE, March, 1877–1878: Published by C. A. Bristol and Company, from March to June, 1877; Bradley and White, June to October, 1877; by Urech and Company from October to March, 1878, when it was abandoned.

DISPATCH, November 21, 1878 to date: Established by J. R. Urech, with D. H. Darby as editor. January 1, 1884, Urech sold a half interest to W. H. McIntyre, which firm continued until September 1, 1890, when McIntyre bought all interest and ran it to January 1, 1899, when original owner with his son Charles bought it and still continues issuing same. It is neutral. Files of both *Enterprise* and *Dispatch* are in the *Dispatch* office.

MENDOTA, LA SALLE COUNTY

PRESS, +1854–——(?): Published by C. R. Fisk, a Presbyterian minister who moved it from Little Rock. Sold to J. L. and L M. Andrews who conducted it until February 26, 1857, when they sold back to Rev. C. R. Fisk. Republican and actively anti-slavery. (See Little Rock.) **PF**

OBSERVER, 1856–1861+: Established as a Republican paper by unknown parties, but was run for a time by Col. J. R. S. Bond; by Messrs. Crooker and Beck; then by R. H. Ruggles, who gave it the name **P**

BULLETIN, +1861–1897+: Conducted at the beginning by R. H. Ruggles, then Ruggles and Ford. In 1897 it was consolidated with the *Sun* under the title *Sun-Bulletin*. Republican in politics. Files in the office. **U**

DEMOCRAT, 1858–1859: A German paper established by Franz Meisenbach and Gabriel Pool. Lasted one year.

TIMES, 1859–1861: Established by a Mr. Fisk (not C. R. Fisk). It was a Democratic paper; its editor was said to be a Copperhead, and was forced by a recruiting company early in 1861 to make a speech for the Union and haul up a flag. Soon afterward he left his paper and disappeared.

CHRONICLE, 1869–1870: Established by Snell and Merrill; sold to F. D. Ford, who sold to the *Bulletin* in 1870. Files in the *Bulletin* office.

NEWS, 1874–1876: Established as an Independent paper by F. D. Ford. Sold to Dr. Spichler, then to William Parker, then to the *Bulletin*. Files in *Bulletin* office.

REPORTER, 1878 to date: Founded by John O. Sanford and G. P. Gardner. G. H. Kellogg bought out Sanford in 1879, and Gardner bought out Kellogg in 1881. In 1883 he sold to L. S. Seaman

and Otto Kieselbach. Seaman retired in 1887 and Kieselbach still conducts the paper. Republican till 1883; Democratic since then. Files are in the office.

POST, August, 1879 to date: A German Democratic paper, established and still conducted by Otto Kieselbach. Files are in the office.

MEREDOSIA, MORGAN COUNTY

MONITOR, 1877–1879(?): Edited by J. R. Miller and George W. Graham. In 1879 Miller alone was editor and publisher.

ENTERPRISE, 1879–1882: Edited by J. P. McDonald; later by F. W. Schierbaum. It was moved to Versailles and is still published there. Democratic.

METAMORA, WOODFORD COUNTY

WOODFORD COUNTY ARGUS, May, 1854+: Established by A. N. Shepherd. Became in a short time **F**

WOODFORD SENTINEL, +1854–1889+: The first issue was printed in Peoria. It was thought to be such a great enterprise that when brought over to Metamora, a copy was hoisted on a pole, like a flag, the streets paraded, and a regular "war dance" held around it. Mr. Shepard was its first proprietor. George L. Harl was for a long time editor and one of its proprietors, and in 1877 became sole proprietor. In 1888 Arthur Lee Hereford became editor. An edition of this paper was issued in Washburn, Woodford county, under the name *Sentinel*. It was merged with the *Herald* about 1889. Democratic.

WOODFORD COUNTY VISITOR, 1855–——(?): Conducted by Sinion P. Shope. Vol. 1, No. 18 is owned by Judge S. S. Page of Chicago.

BULLETIN, ——(?)–——(?): Mentioned in Rowell for 1869 with no report.

METROPOLIS CITY, MASSAC COUNTY

PROMULGATOR, 1865–1869(?): J. F. McCartney and Brother were named editors and publishers. Republican. Probably later became

MASSAC JOURNAL, 1865 to date: Established by B. O. Jones, editor; McCartney and Jones, publishers. In 1880 B. O. Jones was editor, Jones and Davisson, publishers; R. A. Davisson, editor; E. D. Malone, publisher, 1882; E. D. Malone, editor and publisher, 1884; Hines and Starkes, 1891. By 1895 it had become *Massac Journal-Republican* with A. N. Starkes as editor, A. N. Starkes and Company, publishers. **U**

TIMES, 1867–1879(?): In 1869 W. J. Ward was editor, G. B. Depue, publisher; W. J. Ward and W. A. McBane, editors and publishers, 1870; W. A. McBane, 1871–1873; J. F. McCartney, 1874–——; J. F. McCartney was named as editor, J. F. McCartney and Company, publishers, 1879.

DEMOCRAT, 1878–1899+: Edited by F. A. Trousdale, published by James D. Stewart and Company. In 1895 F. A. Trousdale had become editor and publisher. January 1, 1899, the *Herald* succeeded the *Democrat* and is still published, at present by Trousdale and Barnes.

MIDDLEPORT, IROQUOIS COUNTY

IROQUOIS JOURNAL, 1851–1854+: Published by J. A. Graham, who established on February 19, 1851, and who sold the office about April 1, 1854, to William F. Keady and Benjamin Scott. The *Journal* had been devoted to politics, literature, the arts and science, agriculture, etc. Under the new management, its name was changed to the

IROQUOIS COUNTY PRESS, +1854–1855+: It now became Democratic in its sympathies. In 1855 Mr. Keady bought out Mr. Scott and called it the

WEEKLY PRESS, +1855–1865: Mr. Scott conducted it until 1857; Joseph Thomas and Roy W. Andrews, 1857–1858; Hon. John Chamberlain, 1858–——(?). Its editors successively were Harmon Westbrook and Caleb Pink, 1857–1858; Michael Hagle, 1858–1864; George J. Harrington, 1864–1865.

INVESTIGATOR, about six months of 1855: It was published by Richard Taliaferro and James H. Graham. Its sympathies were with the Democratic party. Publication irregular.

IROQUOIS REPUBLICAN, May 8, 1856–1863+: A. G. Smith moved the office to Watseka, spring of 1863, and in October, 1866, sold to Zacheus Beatty. The latter changed the name in 1872 to the Watseka *Republican*, and continued publisher till April 1, 1873. F

IROQUOIS COUNTY HERALD, 1865–1867: Established about October 1, on the ruins of the Middleport *Weekly Press*. George W. Keady, publisher, Michael Hagle editor; Independent in politics. About February 1, 1867, the office was moved to Watseka. The last Middleport issue of the *Herald*, January 27, 1867, was the last paper published at Middleport. Some time after the removal to Watseka, Charles Jouvenat became editor, and remained so until the spring of 1869, when the paper ceased to exist.

MILFORD, IROQUOIS COUNTY

HERALD, July, 1876 to date: Established by J. R. Fox as a Greenback paper. Purchased in 1879 by Edward L'Hote, who sold in 1887 to his son, the present editor and proprietor, Eugene L'Hote. Republican under its present management. **H**

GAZETTE, 1875.

GENIUS, 1879–1880(?): In 1880 was being edited and published by J. W. Sargent. It is not mentioned in the *Newspaper Annual* for 1881.

MILLINGTON, KENDALL COUNTY

ENTERPRISE, 1873–1884(?): J. W. Richardson was editor and publisher, 1873–1874; F. P. Hallowell, 1875–1877; Jud. M. Morley, 1878–1880; Morley and Cook, 1882; F. E. Morley, 1884(?) the edition for Millington of the *Kendall County News*, (1872–——?; Republican) published at Plano, Kendall county. **H**

MILTON, PIKE COUNTY

BEACON, 1875–1884(?): Mr. Lucas, editor, bought it from the Milton *Reformer*, a temperance paper. After five months a stock company was formed. J. M. Farris became editor. In 1876 sold to F. M. Grimes, who was still editor and publisher in 1882. Started neutral; changed to Greenback. **U**

MINIER, TAZEWELL COUNTY

INDEPENDENT, 1870–1872: Edited and published by C. B. Ketcham. Printed at the office of the Delavan *Independent*.

NEWS, September, 1878 to date: Started by George L. Shoals, publisher of the Atlanta *Argus*, with Horace Crihfield. A printing plant was established in Minier in 1885; Crihfield became its sole owner, then Crihfield Brothers. The paper is in charge of R. C. Crihfield.

MINONK, WOODFORD COUNTY

JOURNAL, 1866–——(?): An edition, for Minonk, of the *Journal* of El Paso. G. H. Jenkins was editor; William H. Addis and Company, publishers, 1869. In 1879 the title given in Rowell is *Home Journal*.

PRAIRIE ENTERPRISE, 1868: An advertising sheet with gratuitous circulation, edited and published by Johnson and Ware.

INDEX, 1870–1877(?): Established by M. A. Cushing and Cadet Taylor; M. A. Cushing was conducting the paper alone from 1873 to 1877. Independent.

REGISTER, 1870–1871: Established by M. M. Bagley.

REPORTER, 1870: Established by W. W. Wilkes; survived a few months.

TIMES, 1872–1873+: Established by Irving Carrier. It was changed in 1873 to the

BLADE, +1873 to date: By James M. Fort, who while in need of financial aid purchased the office, enlarged the paper, and for seventeen years conducted it successfully, selling the publication in 1897 to his son, Arthur C. Fort, and Clarence B. Hurtt, who as Fort and Hurtt conducted the paper for some time. Since then it has been sold a number of times; it is now owned and published by Chester R. Denson, under the name of the Minonk *Dispatch*. Messrs. J. M. and A. C. Fort have complete files.

NEWS, 1878 to date: Established by S. C. Bruce; it was sold in 1887 to Arthur R. Warren, and was still being conducted by him in 1889. In 1907 George Werkheiser was editor and publisher. Republican.

MOKENA, WILL COUNTY

ADVERTISER, 1874–1877: Established by Charles A. Jones. It was a sub-edition of the Lockport *Advertiser*.

MOLINE, ROCK ISLAND COUNTY

WORKMAN, August 21, 1854–February 18, 1857: Edited and published by Amos Smith. "An Independent family newspaper devoted to news, literature, agriculture, mechanics, commerce and home interests." It was Republican, and strongly anti-slavery. Smith sold, February 18, 1887, to R. H. Graham and Alfred Webster, who changed the name to **PE**

INDEPENDENT, February 25, 1857–1862: In May, 1858, Webster sold his interest to Graham, who in April, 1859, took C. H. Brennan as a partner. Brennan sold in December to M. S. Barnes. In 1860 Graham was again sole owner. He went to war in August, 1861, and J. A. Kuck managed the paper until its suspension, October, 1862. **F**

CITIZEN, July, 1858–1859: Established by F. M. Linnehan. James Bowie became part owner in 1858, and owner in February, 1859. It ceased to exist in 1859. A semi-weekly (later weekly) Democratic paper.

REPUBLICAN, 1865–1867: Established by William H. Jenkins. Sold in 1867 to Capt. L. M. Haverstick, who closed the office. The material was used to establish the *Review*.

REVIEW, November 26, 1870–1880+: Established by Messrs. Lowe and Frank R. Gilson. Lowe retired in 1871, and Gilson sold the same year to Kennedy and Crichton; B. F. Tillinghast suc-

ceeded Crichton in 1872; Kennedy retired in 1874. Tillinghast conducted the paper alone till 1875, when J. H. Porter bought an interest. R. H. Moore bought the paper in 1877, and in 1880 failed. John H. Porter bought the equipment and the subscription list was transferred to Samson Kennedy, who united the *Review* with with the weekly edition of the *Dispatch* as *Review Dispatch*. **PH**

SKANDIA, December 29, 1876–1878: A Swedish Republican paper established by A. C. Remer and P. E. Melin. Edited by P. E. Melin to 1877; then by Magnus Elmblad and Herman Stockenstrom. It was sold early in 1878 to Gustaf Swenson. In May, 1878, it was sold to the *Svenska Tribunen* of Chicago.

DAILY DISPATCH, July, 1878 to date: Established by Oliver and Louise White. They were succeeded by Sampson Kennedy and L. M. Haverstick; then by Fred O. and Jay H. Dean; then by P. S. McGlynn and John K. Groom. Groom sold out in 1891 to W. F. Eastman; since then McGlynn and Eastman were editors, publishers, and owners of the paper, until Eastman died in 1909. It is now owned by Mrs. Eastman and P. S. McGlynn, the latter being in charge of the publication.

REVIEW–DISPATCH, 1878 to date: The weekly edition of the *Dispatch*. It has the same history as that paper. **A**

GRAIN CLEANER, 1878–1886+: Founded by Barnard and Leas Manufacturing Company with R. James Abernathy as editor. C. F. Hall became editor and publisher in 1881. In 1884 he changed its name to *Modern Miller* and became sole owner. He moved it to Kansas City in 1886, and in 1895 sold to a St. Louis syndicate. Under Hall it was an independent technical milling journal. Originally a monthly, it became a weekly milling newspaper about 1893.

MOMENCE, KANKAKEE COUNTY

REPORTER, August, 1870 to date: Established by John B. A. Paradis. Sold in 1874 to M. O. Clark; Stephen W. Dennis, 1885–1891; Charles E. Carter, 1891–1901. In 1897 it was consolidated with the Momence *Press* and the name was changed to *Press-Reporter*, with C. E. Carter as editor. Carter sold in 1901 to C. S. McNichols and Company. Since that time O. M. Harlan has been manager. Incomplete files in possession of Mr. Harlan. Republican.

MONEE, WILL COUNTY

EAGLE, 1860(?)–1863(?): Established by J. G. Scott and continued for about three years.

MONMOUTH, WARREN COUNTY

ATLAS, October, 1846 to date: Edited and managed by C. K. Smith, assisted for a short time by E. S. Bryon and F. K. Smith, 1845–1857; John S. Clark, 1857–1865; Mr. Clark and J. H. Reed, 1865–1869; Mr. Clark and Son, with unimportant exceptions, 1869 to 1892, when it was consolidated with the *Advance* as *Republican Atlas-Advance*, now called *Republican Atlas*. Daily since 1904. Published by Republican Printing Company, with Arthur G. Brown as editor, C. F. Buck, manager. Files in Warren County Library Association Library. **DU**

DEMOCTAT, August, 1852–1853: Published by Hosea and Ashton. Files in Warren County Library Association Library.

REVIEW, December, 1855 to date: Its founder was A. H. Swain, who was the editor, 1855 to 1886; H. R. Moffet, 1886 to date. It was issued weekly, 1855–1887; semi-weekly, 1887–1888; and daily and semi-weekly from 1888 to 1907, when it was changed back to a weekly. Independent. **BF**

COLLEGE COURIER, 1867–1868: Issued at Monmouth College. Monthly. **U**

COMMERCIAL RECORD, April, 1872–——(?): Monthly. **E**

LEADER, 1873: A Republican paper edited by S. J. Clarke and published by the Leader Printing Company.

MIDLAND MONTHLY, 1874: Published by W. D. Pratt.

GAZETTE, 1876–1888: An Independent weekly; began a daily issue in 1883. It was moved to Galesburg, Illinois, about 1888, and was soon discontinued.

PAPER, 1877–1879(?): G. G. McCosh was editor and publisher. By 1880 it had been absorbed by *Gazette* and for a time issued as *Gazette and Paper*. **E**

MONROE, OGLE COUNTY

ARGUS, 1877–——(?): Established by D. C. Needham, who was also publishing the *Creston Times*.

MONTICELLO, PIATT COUNTY

TIMES, 1856–1858+: Edited by J. D. Mondy, who was succeeded by J. C. Johnson. He sold to James Outten, who received Mr. Hassett as a partner. Changed to

PIATT DEMOCRAT, +1858–1862+: Edited by W. A. Gilliland, 1858–1860; J. C. Johnson, 1860–1862. Changed to

CONSERVATIVE, +1862–1864+: At first edited by Thomas Milligan, who was succeeded by W. E. Lodge. Changed to

PIATT COUNTY UNION, +1864–1865+: Edited by M. A. Bates. Changed to

PIATT INDEPENDENT, +1865–1874+: Edited by J. M. Holmes. A complete file is owned by L. C. Burgess. Changed to

REPUBLICAN, +1874–1876+: At the end of three years, Mr. Holmes sold to Mr. Wagner, who immediately sold to H. B. Funk. He changed its name to

BULLETIN, +1876 to date: Edited by Henry B. Funk, 1876–1882; Mize Brothers, 1882–1883; Mr. Funk, 1884–1885; Moral O'Banion; C. N. Walls, 1885–1886; Carl Uhler, 1887; M. L. Griffith, 1887–1888; Garver Brothers, 1888; William E. Krebs, 1888–1898; Evan Stevenson, 1899; C. E. Gaumer, 1899–1902; H. W. Buckle, 1902–1903; G. W. Mize, the present editor, 1903 to date. The files in the office are incomplete. Democratic.

FARMERS' ADVOCATE, 1874: Existed for a few months in the spring. M. A. Bates was editor.

PIATT COUNTY HERALD, April, 1874 to date: Established by H. H. Peters, who continued until 1892, when it was bought by G. A. Burgess and consolidated with the *Independent*; begun by Mr. Burgess in 1887, under the name *Piatt County Republican*. In 1905 G. A. Burgess was succeeded, as editor and manager, by his son, L. C. Burgess. Republican. A complete file owned by L. C. Burgess. **U**

MORRIS, GRUNDY COUNTY

YEOMAN, 1852–1854+: A Republican paper, edited by James C. Watters. A copy of no. 54 of the first volume is owned by Walter A. Rose of Mazon, Illinois. Changed to

GRUNDY COUNTY HERALD, +1854 to date: Edited by Henry C. Buffington and Charles E. Southard for one year; Mr. Southard 1855–1864; C. L. Perry, who soon took Mr. Turner in partnership, 1864–1866. Charles E. Southard, 1866–1874; in 1865 Mr. Southard started the *Advertiser*, but soon resumed the control of the *Herald*, whereupon he combined the two as *Herald and Advertiser*, soon reverting to the name *Herald*. P. C. Hayes, 1874–1876; Hayes and Fletcher, 1876 to 1891; W. L. Sackett, 1891 to date. **HF**

ADVERTISER, 1865–1866+: Conducted by Charles E. Southard. Combined with *Herald*. **H**

GAZETTE, 1853–1855: Edited by A. J. Ashton. It was purchased by the proprietors of the *Herald*. It advocated Democracy.

LIBERAL REFORMER, 1872–1879(?): Established by Joe Simpson. In 1876 run by A. R. Barlow, after whom Simpson again took

charge and closed it out. Anti-Republican, principally Democratic, tinged with Greenbackism.

INDEPENDENT, 1878 to date: Established as a semi-weekly by Perry, Crawford, and Kutz, March 1, 1878. In 1882 it was in the charge of Mr. Kutz alone. He sold about 1883 to W. J. Leacock, who a year later sold to Peter Low. In 1887 Low sold to C. R. Morrison, and in 1890 W. M. Reed purchased it, changed its name to the *Sentinel* and made it Democratic. In 1895 Reed sold to S. H. Bucklin and Son. It was subsequently owned by George Bucklin, and Bucklin and Hilliker, 1899–1900. January 1, 1909, the paper was bought by a stock company, with Richard F. Lawson as editor.

MORRISON, WHITESIDE COUNTY

WHITESIDE SENTINEL, 1857 to date: Established by Alfred McFadden. In 1862 McFadden leased it to Elmer Searle for one year, when he resumed publication. In 1867 it was purchased by Messrs. Charles Bent and Morris Savage. In 1870 Mr. Bent became sole proprietor. In 1877 Mr. Bent sold to Robert W. Welch, but repurchased it in 1879, and has been editor ever since. Charles Bent, Jr., has been manager since 1906. Complete files in the office. Republican.

REFORM INVESTIGATOR, 1868–1870: Established by Elmer Searle. Weekly, devoted to financial and other reforms; published later by a stock company with Searle as editor and manager. In 1870 removed to Chicago; office destroyed in Chicago fire in 1871.

INDEPENDENT, 1872–1874: Established by L. S. Ward and J. W. Huett. Later Elmer Searle became editor. Advocated presidency of Horace Greeley. Discontinued in 1874. Office purchased same year by G. J. Booth and Son, who established

TIMES, 1874–1876: In 1876 moved office to Rock Falls and changed name to *Whiteside Times* (which see). Democratic.

DEMOCRAT, 1876–1877: Established by Messrs. Guernsey, Connelly, and Frank A. Grove. Discontinued in 1877. Democratic.

WHITESIDE HERALD, 1878–1884: Established by A. D. Hill. Later it was sold to George B. Adams, who moved the office to Sterling, Illinois. Independent Republican.

MORRISONVILLE, CHRISTIAN COUNTY

TIMES, August 20, 1875 to date: Established by Thomas Cox, editor and proprietor. December 30, 1875, Cox sold out to M. J. Abbott, who in May, 1877, sold to George H. Palmer and Son. In 1879 the office was leased to Said and Poorman, Palmer and Son retaining ownership. In October, 1879, Steen

Brothers, George H. and Joseph W. Steen, were publishers and editors and continued so until 1882, when they sold to Caflin and Campbell. In 1883 Caflin became sole owner; in 1885 he sold to G. H. Sallee, who sold in 1887, to S. W. Culp; he, in 1907, to Lindsey and Miller. March 1, 1909, Miller sold his interest to A. C. Brookman. Lindsey and Brookman are the present proprietors and publishers. Independent. Files in the office. **U**

MOUND CITY, PULASKI COUNTY

NATIONAL EMPORIUM, 1856–1860: Edited by Dr. Z. Casterline and published by J. Walter Waugh. They were succeeded by Moses B. Harrell as editor and John A. Waugh as publisher. Mr. Harrell withdrew in 1859 and Mr. Waugh became also its editor. He continued its publication until 1860, when it was discontinued. **FH**

GAZETTE, 1860–1861: Established by Judge J. R. Emerie. It continued one year, and collapsed.

JOURNAL, 1864–1874, 1878: Established and edited by J. D. Mondy, who was succeeded by S. P. Wheeler. The latter moved to Cairo, 1865, and H. R. Howard, who had published the paper during Wheeler's administration, assumed the duties of editor. May, 1866, the press and all belonging to it was bought by Capt. H. F. Potter, who edited the *Journal* until, in[1] 1874, he moved to Cairo, taking the press with him. After this removal, the *Mound City Journal* was joined with the Cairo *Argus*, the two together receiving the name *Argus-Journal*, weekly. Beginning November 15, 1878, Mr. Potter published separately the Cairo *Daily Argus* and the Mound City *Journal*. The latter was still being published in 1883. Under Mr. Potter's management the *Journal* was Democratic. **H**

PULASKI PATRIOT, 1871 to date: Established June, 1871, by A. J. Alden, editor, and B. O. Jones, publisher. Fron June to No vember of that year, F. R. Waggoner was associated in the business. The latter part of November the firm of Alden and Jones was dissolved, Alden retiring December 7. Jones sold out to F. R. Waggoner, who became editor. January, 1872, through the purchase of an interest by Mr. O. H. Turner, the firm name became Waggoner and Turner, which it remained until November 1, 1872, when Turner withdrew. December 1, Fred W. Corson joined the firm, which was called Waggoner and Corson until the withdrawal of Waggoner, April 10, 1873. His successor in the firm was Ed. H. Bintliff, firm name, Corson and

[1] This date, 1874, for the removal of the office from Mound City to Cairo, does not agree with the previous account of the Cairo *Daily Argus*, from which the date would appear to be 1876.

Bintliff. January 23, 1874, Bintliff withdrew, Corson continuing alone until November 1, 1874, when he sold out to Ed. S. Ackerman and A. Ackerman. The latter was editor until December 1877, at which time the paper passed entirely into the hands of Ed. S. Ackerman, who kept it until July, 1880. At this time Daniel Hogan purchased the office and continued publication until September 1, 1881, when L. M. Bradley purchased an interest. Mr. Hogan has been sole owner since 1886. In that year the name was changed to *Pulaski Enterprise*. J. P. Roberts was editor until 1882, when he was succeeded by J. F. Connell. He was followed by John F. Rector, one year, Daniel Hogan, Jr., one year, Daniel Hogan, Sr., one year; then H. C. Ashbaugh. The paper has been steadily Republican.

MT. CARMEL, WABASH COUNTY

SENTINEL AND WABASH ADVOCATE, 1834–1839: Edited by Horace Roney, 1834–1835; Edward Baker, 1835–1836; Richard Beck, with O. B. Ficklin as an assistant, 1836–1839.

REGISTER, June 11, 1839, to date: A Whig paper, edited by J. S. Power, and published by W. B. Meany, who was succeeded by Ezra B. Meaney; George B. Backus, 1841, for seven years; Frank Fuller; Fuller and Hutchinson; W. D. Jackson, 1848–——; S. S. Luken; Victor B. and Robert Bell; Theo. S. Powers, 1852–——; Frank C. Manly, with Judge Green as political editor. Mr. Green made it Republican. In 1862 Manly died and George W. Douglas took the paper, made it a Democratic organ, and Richard Beck who succeeded him made it Republican again. In 1867 Mr. Green, at public auction, purchased it, but Mr. Beck continued to publish it until sold to J. P. M. Calvo. It was suspended for an interval, 1867–1868. Messrs. Wade and Cape revived it in 1868. They soon sold it to C. I. Wilmans, who ran it until 1870, when he sold to T. J. Groves. In a few weeks Mr. Groves passed it back to Mr. Wilmans. J. H. Wilmans was editor, 1871; Wilmans and Havill, 1875–1878. Under the Bell Brothers the paper was non-partisan. In 1878 Mr. Havill made it an exponent of Democratic principles. It was sold by Frank W. Havill to P. J. Kolb and A. E. Smith, in November, 1906. These men continued to publish the paper until February, 1908, when it was incorporated under the name of the Mt. Carmel Register Company; A. E. Smith continued as editor. A daily was begun in 1900. Files substantially complete in the office. A

WABASH REPUBLICAN, 1840–1841: Edited by W. D. Latshaw.

GREENBRIER, 1840–(a brief existence): Edited by J. S. Powers.

PLOW BOY, 1844–(a brief existence): Edited by Valentine Miller.

WABASH DEMOCRAT, 1844–1847: Edited by W. E. Latshaw for two years. He sold it, and it failed in the hands of Austin Brooks and Finney D. Preston soon after they bought it.

WABASH DEMOCRAT, 1860–1878: A revival of the previous *Democrat*. Jacob Zimmerman was editor for awhile. He was succeeded by G. W. Besore, and he in turn by James T. Costello. It failed in the hands of J. C. Hinckley. A *Democrat* is listed in Rowell as established in 1865 and edited by J. P. M. Calvo, who continued until 1872; J. P. Reynolds, 1872; W. H. Evans and George A. Spitzer, 1873; Neil C. Burns, 1874; Hannah and Son, 1875–1877.

TEMPERANCE LEADER, 1878: A monthly exponent of the "White Ribbon" ideas, published by Grossman and Scafer.

REPUBLICAN, 1878 to date: Established by Richard H. and a Mr. Brown. They soon sold to J. F. Wilmans, who continued the paper until January, 1883, when it was bought by Thomas L. Joy. Joy sold to D. E. Keen in 1888. Keen is the present publisher. A daily was begun in 1899. Files substantially complete in the office.

MT. CARROLL, CARROLL COUNTY

TRIBUNE, 1850–(a few months): Published by Dr. J. L. Hostetter. F

REPUBLICAN, 1852–1859(?): Established by J. P. Emmert, who sold to H. G. Grattan, 1853–1855; D. H. Wheeler, 1855–1857; D. B. Emmert,——; J. L. Hostetter and E. C. Cochran. It was consolidated under Cochran and English, with the *Intelligencer*, but they were soon separated. It was last owned by Mrs. Skinner and Miss Gregory, and edited by Silvernail and Ladd. F

CARROLL COUNTY MIRROR, 1858 to date: Published by Alexander Windle and I. V. Hollinger to 1865; J. M. Adair, 1865–1874; Joseph F. Allison, 1874–1875; W. D. Hughes and A. B. Hollinger, 1875; Mr. Hughes, 1875 to 1888. After Hughes' death it was conducted by his daughter, Jean A. Hughes, until 1889, when it was sold to W. A. Stevens. Stephens sold it to John Sughrone; he to J. F. Allison; he to W. L. Puterbaugh in 1893; he to Hughes and Hurless. Hughes sold his interest to Hurless, who still conducts the paper.

INTELLIGENCER, ——(?)– 1860: Published by George English, for a short time, and was absorbed by the *Mirror*.

OREAD, 1868–1890(?): Collegiate; quarterly.

NEWS, 1875–1876+: Established by Frank A. Beeler, who sold the paper in 1876 to J. William Mastin. He changed the name to the

HERALD, +1876–1890: On January 1, 1877, the paper was bought by Hollinger, and Frank J. Sessions was editor. Sessions sold his interest to Don Frazer, and Col. M. Feezer leased Hollinger's interest in 1888. In 1889 Feezer and Albright conducted it. Frazer sold to the *Mirror*, which absorbed it in 1890. The *Herald* was at first Independent, but soon turned Democratic.

MT. FOREST, COOK COUNTY

NEW ERA, 1879–1880: "Done by John J. Coburn, editor and publisher."

MT. MORRIS, OGLE COUNTY

ROCK RIVER REGISTER, January 1–September, 1842: It was established by friends of Rock River Seminary; edited by Emanuel Knodle, whose death was announced in the twelfth number, and who was succeeded by D. C. Dunbar; published by Mr. Stephens and Jonathan Knodle. It was at first non-partisan, but on July 10 "came out" Whig, supporting Joseph Duncan for governor and denouncing Judge Ford. It was moved to Grand Detour, and was discontiuned in 1843, probably in August.

GAZETTE, March, 1850–1853: Edited by Daniel J. Pinckney and published by J. Frederick Grosh and Tomlinson Ankney. Pinckney was principal of the Rock River Seminary. Its editorial management was able, the editor striving to make it the exponent of his own ideas rather than a chronicle of the news of the day. At the end of one year the paper was sold to R. C. Burchell, who removed the outfit to Oregon. The paper was soon re-established, however. In 1851, Brayton, Baker and Company appeared as publishers. C. C. Allen and S. D. Atkins moved it to Savanna, Illinois. Independent. Polo

NORTHWESTERN REPUBLICAN, 1856–1857+: Published by C. G. Atwood and Henry Metcalf. They sold to Brayton, Potter, and Company, and then to Myron S. Barnes, who changed it to the **F**

INDEPENDENT WATCHMAN, +1857–1861: Published by Myron S. Barnes, 1857–1859. For the rest of its existence it was owned by a joint stock company, with Mr. J. D. Dopf as publisher, and under the editorial management of Professor W. S. Pope and Dr. F. A. McNeill. Material removed to Polo. Republican. **EF**

ANNUAL, 1862–1868: Edited by Col. B. F. Sheets, who was succeeded by Rev. J. H. Vincent. A Sunday school paper.

INDEPENDENT, 1876–1877+: Established by a joint stock company organized by Samuel Knodle. D. J. Pinckney was editor. It soon was sold to John Sharer and became

OGLE COUNTY DEMOCRAT, May, +1877–1886: John Sharer was editor and publisher and Dr. B. G. Stephens, associate editor. These persons conducted the paper nine years, when it was discontinued and the plant removed to Oregon, Illinois.

MT. PULASKI, LOGAN COUNTY

SENTINEL, 1870–1871+: Established by Francis M. Doulton, who was succeeded not long after by John Bush. In August, 1871, the paper was changed to the

OBSERVER, +1871–1873+: Changed from the *Sentinel*, August, 1871; conducted by Frank Sloan till July, 1873, when it was changed to the

DOLLAR STAR +1873+: Published for a short time by Joel Dunbar, who changed it to the

STAR, +1873–1876: Changed from the *Dollar Star* soon after the beginning of Dunbar's control; published by him until October, 1876, when it was sold out.

CITIZEN, November 29, 1876 to date (1884): Established by the Conklin Brothers, who were still publishing it in 1878. In 1880, the editor was J. W. Wolfe; H. C. Suttle, 1882 to 1884. Independent in politics.

MT. STERLING, BROWN COUNTY

PRAIRIE PIONEER, 1848–1850+: A Democratic paper, founded and edited by John Bigler. Its next editor was P. L. Shutt, who was followed by J. B. More, with Geo. S. Myers as his publisher. Changed to

PRAIRIE DEMOCRAT, +1850–1852+: J. R. Bailey edited it for E. T. Hollister, its owner. In 1852 it strongly urged the selection of Stephen A. Douglas as the Democratic candidate for president. Became the **F**

CHRONOTYPE, +1852–1855: Mr. Bailey remained its editor, until 1855 when he removed the material to Jacksonville, where he established the *Sentinel*. **F**

WESTERN SPY, 1856–1857: Established and edited by A. L. Snow with G. W. Gross as associate editor. In 1857 it was sold to B. H. Irwin, who sold to Nicholson and Shurtleff. They moved it to Beardstown. Whig.

UNION, 1856–1863+: A Democratic paper, owned by a stock company and edited by Robert A. Glenn and James R. Gordon. After several changes in ownership it was suspended for a few months in 1857. It was revived by J. C. O'Neil, who was its editor and publisher, 1857–1861; J. C. and Martin O'Neil, 1861; J. C. O'Neil, 1861–1863. When he died in 1863 the establishment was sold, after a few months, to Sam. S. and Martin Brooks, changed the name to the

RECORD, +1863–1869+: They continued to publish it as a Democratic paper until 1869, when they sold it to J. S. H. Hambaugh, who called it the

WEEKLY GAZETTE, +1869–1872+: He published it until 1872, when he sold it to Gervis M. Russell, who changed it to

BROWN COUNTY DEMOCRAT, +1872–1886+: Gervis M. Davis was editor and proprietor, 1872–1874; H. K. Davis and S. N. Jones, 1874–1875; Mr. Davis, 1875–1886. When Mr. Davis assumed control it was an organ of the Grangers. It afterwards advocated the principles of the Greenback party. In 1876 it supported Peter Cooper, and in 1880, Gen. Hancock. Consolidated with the *Illlinois Weekly Message* in 1886.

BROWN COUNTY REPUBLICAN, May, 1866–1867: Established by J. S. Nicholson; W. O. L. Jewett and Higgins, 1867; —— Barrett and David D. Wilson, 1867; David D. Wilson, 1867, when publication ceased.

ILLINOIS WEEKLY MESSAGE, January, 1872–1886+: Established by Henry A. Glenn and Eugene C. Brockman; E. C. Brockman and Mart Brooks, 1873–1876; E. C. Brockman, 1876–1883; J. B. Stubblefield and Charles Kendrick, 1883; C. H. Wetzel, 1883–1884; S. T. Ranney, 1884–1886. July, 1886, purchased by Mrs. Mary Davis and W. B. Davis, who consolidated it with the *Democrat*, becoming the *Democrat-Message*, +July, 1886, to date, still under the management of Mrs. Mary Davis and W. B. Davis. In October, 1899, it was changed to twice a week. Democratic.

MT. VERNON, JEFFERSON COUNTY

JEFFERSONIAN, 1851–1856+: Established by Bogan and Stickney, and later published by John S. Bogan alone. In 1854 Mr. Bogan sold to Bowman and Robinson, who after a short time sold it to Dodds, Johnson and Company. J. B. Tanner was their editor, and the paper was run in the interest of a railroad project. That accomplished, it was changed to

SENTINEL, +1856–1857+: It was published by Tanner, Casey, and Anderson, with the latter gentleman as editor; afterwards published by John A. Wall and Joe V. Baugh. It became the

EGYPTIAN TORCHLIGHT, +spring till late fall, 1857+: Published by Hollingsworth and Wall. The latter withdrew a short time before Hollingsworth, who was succeeded by Ed. Satterfield. He published the paper for a few weeks, and then it changed hands and name, becoming the

ADVOCATE, +1857–1858+: Owned by Dr. S. Turner Brown, and published by him, with the assistance of Satterfield and Dowler, for three weeks at the end of 1857. Satterfield then kept the paper alive until the spring of 1858, after which time it was continued with a change of hands as the

STAR, +1858–1865: Controlled by S. B. Curtis and James S. Lane, 1858–1859; John A. Wall, nine months; Ed. and John Satterfield to 1861; John Satterfield to close of 1861; Judge Satterfield (father of Ed. and John) and Wm. Davisson, to spring of 1862; Ed. Satterfield, to fall of 1862; Ed. and John Satterfield, 1862–1865. The paper was bought in November, 1865, by C. L. Hays, who began in December to publish the *Free Press*.

GUARDIAN, 1860–1863+: Established by Alex Russell and John A. Wall, April, 1860; the first Republican paper. It even claimed to be a War Democrat. Russell and Wall, 1860–1861; Russell and Denlinger, a few months, beginning in the spring (April?) of 1861; fall of 1861, Denlinger ——. In March, 1863, the *Guardian* was changed to

UNCONDITIONAL UNIONIST, +1863–1867: Established by John A. Wall, who published it three years. A. B. Barrett and others formed a stock company for the maintenance of the *Unionist* upon Wall's withdrawal. A. J. Alden was editor 1866 to summer of 1867. George W. Moray, his successor, discontinued the paper after five weeks. It was Republican in politics.

FREE PRESS, 1865–1880: Established by C. L. Hayes, December 6, 1865, and published from the office of the *Star*. In March, 1872, Hayes sold to R. A. D. Wilbanks and G. M. Haynes, who managed the *Press* till the following October, and were then succeeded by W. H. Mantz, to whom they leased the office. Mantz continued till the spring of 1876, when Don Davisson succeeded him. From April, 1879, to February, 1880, the business was backed by a stock company of Greenbackers, and William B. Anderson was editor. They sold out to H. H. Simmons of the *News*, February, 1880.

STATESMAN, 1867–1873: Established by Henry Hitchcock, September 3, 1867, to succeed the *Unionist*. Hitchcock sold out

in May, 1873, to C. L. Hayes and R. M. Morrison, who began the publication of the *Sucker State*. The *Statesman* was Republican in politics.

NEWS, September 2, 1871 to date: Established by Lawrence F. Tromly and Company. Theodore Tromly joined his brother, and as the Tromly Brothers they published the *News*, till the spring of 1876, as a Republican paper. At this time they sold to C. L. Hayes, who in turn sold to C. A. Keller, January, 1887, Hayes retaining possession till April 1. Keller sold to H. H. Simmons, November 28, 1877. The latter had edited the *News* since April. In February, 1880, Mr. Simmons bought the *Free Press*, which he combined with the *News*. In 1883 he was still publishing his paper as the Mt. Vernon *News*. Simmons has been followed successively by John W. Grear, Grear and Baker, Pace and Baker, Sumner and Baker; and, as both a daily and a weekly, by the Mt. Vernon News Company, with Joe V. Baugh as editor. A Democratic paper.

SUCKER STATE, 1873–1874: Established by C. L. Hayes and R. M. Morrison, who had bought Hitchcock's *Statesman* office, May, 1873. The paper now became Democratic in politics. Morrison retired December 27, 1873. The paper failed under Hayes in 1874.

WEEKLY EXPONENT, 1878–1884+: Moved from Casey, in Clark county, without change of name, by Edward Hitchcock, November, 1878. Publication in Mt. Vernon began December 5, 1878, with the first number of vol. 3. Hitchcock had edited also the first two volumes. In 1884 he sold to Morris Emmerson, who changed the name to *Register*, and in 1892 began the daily. On September 1, 1902, Emmerson sold to Maurice J. Seed, who has continued the publication of both papers. Its politics were Republican.

MOWEAQUA, SHELBY COUNTY

REGISTER, 1872–1880: Established by A. M. Anderson, editor, and John P. Marnel. In 1875 sold to Arnold Hughes. After two years it ceased. In 1878 F. M. Hughes purchased the plant and resumed the publication as an Independent paper, but it became Democratic. Discontinued.

ILLUSTRATED BAPTIST, 1879: Printed by the *Register*.

MURPHYSBORO, JACKSON COUNTY

JACKSON DEMOCRAT, 1855: The proprietors were George C. and F. C. Bierer. It was bought and discontinued in the fall of 1855 by Lt. Gov. A. M. Jenkins.

SENTINEL, 1855: Established by Lt. Gov. Jenkins, who sold the establishment to S. S. Hall. He moved it to DeSoto, where it was known as the *Farmer*.

ARGUS, 1860–——(?): In 1869 a paper by the same name, established 1868, was edited and published by W. F. Schuckers; T. F. Bouton and W. D. Frick, 1870; Evans and Dishon, 1873. In 1873 it was superseded by the *Era*. Democratic.

INDEPENDENT, 1873 to date (1877): Edited by Bethune Dishon and John W. Grear. In 1876 Mr. Dishon severed his connection. Mr. Grear edited alone until 1877. Independent in politics until 1877, then Democratic. In 1877 Mr. James C. Sowers became connected with the paper.

JACKSON COUNTY ERA AND SOUTHERN ILLINOISAN, 1873–1902+: J. P. Robarts was editor; Robarts and Evans, publishers, 1874; G. J. Burr was editor; G. J. Burr and Company, publishers, 1879. It was continued until 1902, when it was absorbed by the *Republican* and the continuation called *Republican-Era*. Daily and weekly, run by H. L. Williamson.

INDUSTRIAL TRIBUNE, 1878–1880: Ingram was editor and publisher in 1880. Greenback.

NAPERVILLE, DuPAGE COUNTY

DuPAGE COUNTY RECORDER, 1849+: Edited by C. J. Sellon as a non-partisan paper. Changed to **F**

DEMOCRATIC PLAINDEALER, +1850: It now became an organ of Democracy.

DAUGHTER OF TEMPERANCE, 1850: Issued weekly.

DuPAGE COUNTY OBSERVER, 1851–1854: It sprang from the remains of the *Democratic Plaindealer*. Published by Barnes, Humphrey, and Keith, 1851; by Barnes, Martin, and Keith, 1852–1854. **F**

DuPAGE COUNTY JOURNAL, 1854–1857: Established by C. W. Keith. It was conducted successively by C. W. Keith, Keith, Edson and Company; J. M. Edson and E. M. Day. In February, 1857, the building in which the office was situated was carried away by a flood.

NEWSLETTER, 1857: Published by E. H. Eyer.

SENTINEL, ——(?)–1862: Published by D. B. Birdsall.

DuPAGE COUNTY PRESS, 1863–1868+: Owned by Robert Naper and P. K. Potter, who in 1868 sold to D. B. Givler, who changed it to

CLARION, +February, 1868 to date; Established by D. B. Givler and published by him until January, 1905, when he sold to his son, R. N. Givler, the present publisher. Neutral.

COLLEGE CHRONICLE, 1873–1876; 1883 to date: Published by students composing the Chronicle Publishing Company in the interest of Northwestern College. H. H. Rassweiler was editor, 1873–1875; J. L. Rockey, 1875–1876. Monthly. Files in N. W. Coll. Lib.

DUPAGE COUNTY VOLKSZEITUNG, 1879–1880: Edited and published by Theodore Blenkner. German, neutral.

NAPLES, SCOTT COUNTY

SPIRIT OF THE WEST, 1837–1838: Established by a stock company, and edited and published by Nathan M. Knapp at intervals of apparently more than a fortnight and less than a month. James M. Ruggles did the printing. The motto explained: "Amidst the hum — the strife — the shock of men, we hear — we see — we feel — and then express." The editor promised by way of exercising his catalog of sensations, that a portion of the sheet should be devoted to "Education, Morality, Political Economy, Poetry, and General Miscellany." Before July 14 the establishment had been moved to Jacksonville, where the paper became the *Spirit of the West and Illinois Standard*. Politically "uninfluenced by partisan prejudice."

POST, about 1840: A Whig paper conducted by Mark W. Delahay.

OBSERVER, about 1850: Published by a Mr. Tilden (A. S.?).

NASHVILLE, WASHINGTON COUNTY

NEW ERA, 1851–1853+: Established and edited by a joint stock company of a few citizens who secured the service of P. W. Skinner as printer and manager of the mechanical part. Johnson and Logan were editors and publishers in 1852. Neutral as to politics. In 1853 it was sold to Robert K. Fleming and the name changed to **F**

MONITOR, +1853–1856+: Fleming's management of it was brief, and the former stockholders, taking it back, gave charge of it to M. L. McCord, who, being a Whig, gave it up because he refused to make it a Democratic organ during the campaign of 1856. Henry Johnson was called to take his place, and he changed its name to

DEMOCRAT, +1856–1860+: Under Johnson it supported Buchanan for the presidency. In 1858 Elijah M. Vance became manager. From Mr. Vance it passed into the hands of O. P. Hoddy, who passed it over to P. C. Graves, Sr., and gave it the name of **F**

WASHINGTON COUNTY HERALD, +1860–1862+: C. E. Hammond appeared as editor, 1860–1862. He sold out to M. M. Goodner, who called it

JACKSONIAN, +1862–1863+: Decidedly Democratic in its sympathies. Mr. Goodner sold to Francis M. Verner, who called it the

CONSTITUTION, +1863–——(?): Amos Watts appeared as editor. Soon ceased.

YOUNG AMERICAN DEMOCRAT, +1853–——(?): Another paper which was regarded by its editors and publishers, Henry Johnson and D. L. Logan, as the successor of *Era*. Probably discontinued in 1856, when Johnson took charge of *Monitor*, which he renamed *Democrat*. F

JOURNAL, 1863 to date: Established in oppposition to the *Jacksonian*, by a stock company which was organized December, 1862, by James Garvin and C. F. Hartman. The first issue was January 23, 1863. C. F. Hartman was editor and proprietor until 1870, when he sold out to G. F. Kimball and F. M. Taylor. James B. Matlack was manager and local editor. Kimball and Taylor sold to Matlack and J. B. Anderson. The latter firm continued to 1874 when Anderson sold his interest to C. F. Hartman. Matlack and Hartman continued to May, 1875, when Hartman sold to Matlack. After a few weeks, Matlack sold a half interest to C. D. Wassell. In December, 1876, Wassell became sole owner. One month later, J. B. Wassell joined C. D. Wassell and the firm continued to date as Wassell Bros. Dr. W. M. Pierce was editor from the time this firm was formed until 1880; Way and Jones, 1880; Hartman and Company, 1882; Hartman and Schmidt, 1884; Henry J. Schmidt, editor, Emil Schmidt, publisher, 1891; Schmidt and Watts, 1895; H. J. Schmidt, to date. Republican in politics.

PEOPLE'S PRESS, 1866–1867+: Established as a successor to the *Constitution* by a stock company of Democrats, with Amos Watts as proprietor and manager; Col. W. H. Redding, editor. After one year Amos Watts became editor. A year and a half after this, in the spring of 1867, Joseph B. Anderson became publisher and proprietor and changed the name to the

DEMOCRAT, +1867 to date: Published for the first year of its existence under the new name, by Joseph B. Anderson. Spring of 1870, Peter W. Baker, editor and proprietor, for eight months. Late fall of 1870, D. A. Burton and O. P. Hoddy. Fall of 1871, J. B. Anderson and S. C. Page. November 30, 1871, W. S. and C. M. Forman. Forman Brothers sold November 15, 1876, to J. J. Anderson, editor and proprietor till after 1891; Vernor and Carson, 1895; E. F Beiser, to date. Democratic.

WASHINGTON COUNTY ZEITUNG, 1874 to date (1882): Established March, 1874, by Forman Brothers and Dr. H. D. Schmidt. The latter was editor; the firm name was H. D. Schmidt and Company. March, 1876, Forman Brothers sold to a stock company, H. D. Schmidt and brother becoming managers. July, 1876, the Schmidts retired, a new stock company was formed, with Forman Brothers as managers and Herman Rieken, editor. It continued thus until February 1, 1879, when J. J. Anderson bought the *Zeitung* and in 1879 was sole publisher and proprietor of the *Zeitung* and *Democrat*. In 1880 and 1882 Zeitung Printing Company were editors and publishers. **U**

ILLINOIS VOLKSBLATT, 1876 to date: Established by H. D. Schmidt and Emil Schmidt in August, 1876. The former was editor to after 1884. Hartman and Company were publishers in 1882, 1884. In 1891 Emil Schmidt was editor, Herman Rieken, publisher; F. C. Krumsick, editor, Schmidt and Waldo, publishers, 1895 to date. Republican.

NAUVOO, HANCOCK COUNTY

TIMES AND SEASONS, 1839–1846: A Mormon paper founded by Ebenezer Robinson and D. C. Smith — the youngest brother of the prophet, Joseph Smith. It was issued semi-monthly, during the stay of the Mormons in the county, under several editors and publishers, among whom, besides its founders, were the prophet himself, Frederick G. Williams, John Taylor, Wilford Woodruff and W. W. Phelps. **SH**

WASP, April 16, 1842–1843+: Founded by the patriarch, William Smith, who was succeeded as editor, late in 1842, by John Taylor. Issued from the office of the *Times and Seasons*. It became the **HL**

NEIGHBOR, +1843–1845+: Edited by John Taylor, one of the twelve apostles, and published by Taylor and Woodruff. Changed to **HLF**

HANCOCK EAGLE, +1845–April 3, 1846+: Still a Mormon paper; edited by Dr. W. E. Matlack — a gentile. He was a graduate of Princeton and had been editorially connected with Horace Greeley on the *New Yorker*. In politics it was Democratic. Upon the death of Mr. Matlack the paper was sold to Samuel Slocum and changed to **HL**

NEW CITIZEN, +1846–1847: Anti-Mormon, edited by Dr. Isaac Galland, later J. S. Winter. Published by Samuel Slocum. **HL**

EXPOSITOR, June 7, 1844: Established to expose the controlling faction of Mormons. After one number was issued it was declared a nuisance by the common council and the press and

material were burned or destroyed by the city marshal — an act leading to the lynching of the brothers, Joseph and Hyrum Smith. It was established by William and Wilson Law, Charles and Robert D. Foster, Francis M. and Chauncey L. Higbee, and managed by Sylvester Emmans; all were Mormons who protested against the despotism of Joseph Smith. SL

COLONIE ICARIENNE, 1845: Published by the Icarian community.

PATRIOT, 1847–1850: A Democratic paper edited by James McKee.

ICARIAN REVIEW, 1851: Published by the Icarian community and edited by M. Etienne Cobet.

POPULAR TRIBUNE, January 25, 1851–——(?): "Journal of Reform and Social Reorganization. Organ of the Icarian Community, under the direction of M. E. Cobet, formerly an attorney general and deputy of France, and now president of the above community." By July, 1853, *Popular* had been dropped from the title. F

DEMOCRATIC PRESS, 1858–1860: Founded by Gregg and Lambert. In a few months Messrs. Yates, Chapman, Bauer, and Swartz took the concern. Finally Mr. Yates, being alone, secured Mr. Grove to conduct it. His successor was Abraham Yates.

HANCOCK COUNTY JOURNAL, 1870–1875: Established by Theo Bischof and conducted by him until 1875. Printed at the office of the Keokuk *Post*.

INDEPENDENT, October, 1873 to date: Kremer and Thomas established and ran the paper for forty-four weeks, when they sold to Hamilton and Nelson (B. R. Hamilton and Joseph Nelson). After a year Hamilton retired and Nelson continued the paper till 1880; Hibbard and Baumert, 1880–1885; Baumert and Argast, 1885–1888; Baumert Brothers, 1888–——. Since 1902 the paper has been issued semi-weekly. UL

NEOGA, CUMBERLAND COUNTY

ADVERTISER, 1874–1875+: Established by S. Z. Bland as an advertising medium. It was sold the next year to Allison Brothers of Mattoon, who changed the name to the

NEWS, +1875 to date: In 1876 the paper was sold to Hancock and Kelley. Kelley retired a year later. The paper was, in 1907, conducted by Mrs. T. R. Hancock with W. M. Simpson as editor. It is now owned and edited by L. A. Osborne.

NEPONSET, BUREAU COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1868–1870: Established by Charles M. King.

NEWARK, KENDALL COUNTY

KENDALL COUNTY NEWS, 1878–——(?): An edition of the Plano *News*. R. M. and Callie D. M. Springer were editors and publishers in 1879.

CLIPPER, (?).

NEW ATHENS, ST. CLAIR COUNTY

ERA, 1869–1876: Established by Bauman and Schild. Frank R. O'Neill was editor and publisher in 1871; T. D. Schoupe, 1872–1874; sold to George Auerswald in 1875 and he in 1876 moved the office to Belleville, where he commenced the *Independent*.

NEW BERLIN, SANGAMON COUNTY

ADVANCE, 1874: W. T. Lakin was editor and publisher. Printed at the office of the Waverly *Times*.

NEW BOSTON, MERCER COUNTY

GOLDEN AGE, 1852–(after 1854): Edited and published by L. W. Myers and M. Boyd. **F**

HERALD, 1865–1872: A Republican paper, edited and published by C. A. Ballard.

NEW BURNSIDE, JOHNSON COUNTY

JOHNSON COUNTY JOURNAL, 1874–1879: A. J. Allen was editor and publisher in 1875; Judd J. Penny, 1876; J. B. Chapman 1877; Milton M. Smith was editor and publisher in 1879. Printed at Vienna. Independent. **U**

NEWMAN, DOUGLAS COUNTY

DEMOCRAT, 1873–1874+: Established by Cicero V. Walls. After six months he suspended it for a year. When he resumed publication he changed the name to

INDEPENDENT, +1875 to date: In 1882–1883 Wall leased to Carle A. Uhler for about a year. In 1884 he again leased it to A. B. Smith. In 1887 A. B. and M. S. Smith purchased the plant. In 1894 A. B. Smith retired from the firm and M. S. Smith has been sole proprietor since. Though Independent at first, it became and is still Republican.

NEW RUTLAND, LA SALLE COUNTY

RECORD, 1871–1872: Established by C. M. Thompson. Republican.

JOURNAL, 1872–1877: Edited by E. F. Baldwin, published by Walter Hoge, then by John Wadleigh, 1874–1875 and 1877; Journal Company, 1876. An edition of the El Paso *Journal*.

TIMES, 1874–1877: J. H. Brevoort was editor and publisher. Issued from the office of the Minonk *Times*.

NEWTON, JASPER COUNTY

ENQUIRER, 1856–1858+: A Democratic paper published by Geo. E. Hoar. Became the

JASPER COUNTY DEMOCRAT, +1858–1862: Published by Mehaffey and Odell.

PLAINDEALER, 1858: Edited by J. H. Graham as an "Independent Democratic" journal. Short-lived. It was succeeded by the

DEMOCRATIC WATCHMAN, 1858–1865+: Bought by Dr. T. H. Walker who engaged a Mr. Sears as editor. The name was changed to the

PRESS, +1865 to date: Later sold to a Mr. Stotler, with James Stotler as editor. The paper was bought, after four months, by T. H. and A. N. Walker. In 1882 it was bought by John H. Shup, with Frank L. Shup as editor. The latter became part owner with John H. Shup, then with Isaac Shup, and later with James W. Gibson, who is now editor and publisher. The paper became a bi-weekly in 1899.

JASPER COUNTY CLIPPER, 1874–1876: E. Gorrell was editor and publisher.

JASPER COUNTY TIMES, 1876–——(?): In 1879 E. Gorrell was editor and publisher. Probably successor to *Clipper*. Independent Democratic.

NEW WINDSOR, MERCER COUNTY

TIMES, 1873: Chadwick and Brown were editors and publishers.

PRESS, 1874–1876: W. S. Coe and Company were editors and publishers in 1875; Ward and Young in 1876; H. W. Young in 1877. Republican.

NIANTIC, MACON COUNTY

HERALD, October, 1874–——(?): Established by R. V. Malloy. Had a brief existence.

NILWOOD, MACOUPIN COUNTY

JOURNAL, 1874–1876: D. C. McIver was editor and W. E. Milton was publisher in 1875; W. E. Milton, publisher in 1876. Printed at the office of the Girard *Review*.

NOKOMIS, MONTGOMERY COUNTY

ADVERTISER, 1868–1871: Established by A. H. Draper and a Mr. Henderson.

GAZETTE, 1871–1878+: Established by Picket and H. F. White. In the fall of 1872 James Bone took the plant on a mortgage and sold to D. H. Zepp and a Rev. Mr. Smoyer. In 1873 D. H.

Zepp became sole owner and sold in 1875 to H. F. White. White soon sold to Hiram Graden. Suspended after a few years; its name was revived in 1878 and consolidated with *Free Press*. U

BULLETIN, 1873–1876: Established by A. H. Draper; continued for three years, and afterward intermittently.

FREE PRESS, 1877–March, 1878+: Established as an advertising sheet by E. M. Hulbert, who the next year consolidated it with the *Gazette*, and the new paper was called

FREE PRESS–GAZETTE, +March, 1878 to date: Established, edited, and published by E. M. Hulbert and Hiram Graden. Graden soon retired, after which event Hulbert was sole owner. In 1881 the *Atlas* (established 1880 by H. M. Graden) was absorbed. In December, 1888, J. W. Wild, editor and manager of the *Deutsch Amerikaner* (established by E. M. Hulbert, December, 1880), bought a half interest in the *Free Press-Gazette* and has been editor and half owner since. In April, 1893, E. M. Hulbert sold to George E. Whitten, who in July, 1897, sold to E. Frank Draper. He sold, in July, 1901, to G. H. Webster. Wild and Webster still conduct both papers. Non-partisan since 1880. Before that time *Gazette* was Republican, *Free Press* Democratic. Complete bound files in office.

NORMAL, McLEAN COUNTY

ILLINOIS SCHOOLMASTER, June, 1871–December, 1876: Established in Bloomington, June, 1868, as *Schoolmaster;* moved to Chicago, then became Chicago *Schoolmaster;* moved to Normal, June, 1871. It was then edited and owned by Aaron Gove and E. C. Hewitt. In February, 1873, it was merged with *Illinois Teacher* as *Illinois Schoolmaster* and conducted by Gove and Hewitt until October, 1874, when John W. Cook replaced Gove. John W. Cook alone was editor and publisher of the number for November and that of December, 1876, with which the career of the *Schoolmaster* closed. The *Illinois Schoolmaster* is mentioned as one of the papers which were combined to form the *Educational Weekly* of Chicago, December, 1876. File owned by W. L. Pillsbury, Urbana, Illinois. HU

NORRIS CITY, JOHNSON COUNTY

JOURNAL, 1874: A. J. Alden was editor and publisher. Printed at the office of the Vienna *Journal*.

NOYESVILLE, COOK COUNTY

EXTEMPORARY BULLETIN, 1861(?): Listed, without details, in Kenney's *American Newspaper Directory* for 1861.

NUNDA (now NORTH CRYSTAL LAKE), McHENRY COUNTY

HERALD, 1866 to date: Established by I. M. Mallory, who was sole editor and proprietor until 1896, when he sold to Justin V. Beatty, the present publisher. Republican. When the name of the town was changed in 1908 from Nunda to North Crystal Lake the name of the paper was made Crystal Lake *Herald.*

OAKLAND, COLES COUNTY

HERALD, 1875 to date (1880): Established by J. W. Crane, afterward owned by S. A. Reel and Company with Rev. J. P. Campbell as editor. In 1879 O. Dicks was editor; R. G. Forsyth publisher. L. M. Priest was editor and publisher in 1880. Republican, 1877; Independent (Rowell), 1879; Greenback (Ayer), 1881.

LEDGER, September 6, 1879 to date: Established by J. S. Yeargin. L. T. Yeargin has been connected with the paper for more than thirty years and is its present editor. Independent-Republican.

ODELL, LIVINGSTON COUNTY

INDEPENDENT, 1869–1870: J. H. Warner was editor and publisher.

WEEKLY, 1873–1874: W. D. Wilson was editor and publisher.

CENTENNIAL, 1876: Published by the Livingston County Publishing Company.

HERALD, 1877 to date (1879): In 1879 J. H. Warner was editor and publisher.

ODIN, MARION COUNTY

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS JOURNAL, November, 1869–1870: Mr. Wilson was editor and proprietor. The paper continued until late in 1870.

STAR, 1871–1872: Dille and Ames were editors and publishers.

O'FALLON, ST. CLAIR COUNTY

ADVANCE, 1874–1876: T. W. Eckert was editor and publisher.

OLNEY, RICHLAND COUNTY

NEWS, 1849–1850: A paper established by Daniel Cox and Alfred Kitchell; edited and paid for by Kitchell, it is said, to promote his election as a Whig to the office of state's attorney. He was already prosecuting attorney for the fourth circuit when the paper was started.

REPUBLICAN, 1850–1869(?)+: Established by John M. Wilson, who conducted it most of the time as a Democratic paper. James J. Mayes was publisher in 1855. He sold in 1855 to a Mr. McClaharty, who made the paper Whig, ran it one year, and

died. The paper was sold to James Wright, a Whig, who supported Fremont for president. By 1869 it was owned by Beck and Boyer and changed to **F**

JOURNAL, +1869(?)–1876+: Conducted by James Beck and Eli Boyer until 1872, when they sold to H. H. Lusk. Lusk sold about 1874 to Israel A. Powell, who in 1876 changed the name to

NEWS, +1876+: Israel A. Powell conducted the paper for awhile and, according to some informants sold to W. F. Ratcliffe, who soon sold to T. A. Fritchey. A copy dated February 23, 1876, is vol. 1, no. 1, edited and published by W. F. Ratcliffe. In any event the name was changed back to **U**

RICHLAND COUNTY REPUBLICAN, +1876 to date: By T. A. Fritchey, who put the paper in a sound condition. In 1895 Dan W. Fritchey was editor; in 1907, Lozier D. Yount. The paper is still issued twice a week. Republican.

DOLLAR WEEKLY GAZETTE, 1855–1856+: Established by John J. Buntin, Milo N. Powers, and James Nabb, and conducted by them until 1858, when they sold to William M. Beck. He changed the name to

TIMES, +1856–1861+: A Republican paper, edited by William M. Beck and E. Kitchell, and published by William M. Beck, 1856–1860. The number for November 19, 1858, had "Abram Lincoln for President for 1860" at the head of the editorial column. Beck died in 1860; his sons continued the paper for a time, then sold, in 1861, to a Mr. Hawkins. He sold to Miles B. Friend, who changed the name to **HF**

LEDGER, +1861–1862(?): Friend made the paper Democratic. Sold to R. F. Steger, who in turn sold to Felix C. Carroll. Carroll changed the name to

PRESS,[1] 1862(?)–1873+: According to Bryant Higgins, of Olney, Carroll continued the *Press* until 1873, when he sold to E. B. Barnard and Mr. Hanna, who changed the name back to

TIMES, +1873 to date: In a short time Barnard became sole owner. He died in 1882; for a short time thereafter Robert B. Witcher

[1] A history of Richland County gives the following items concerning the *Press*, and the variance between this and the account of Mr. Higgins, Mr. Higgins refuses to clear up. I am unable to get information from the editors, and no files are known to exist. "*Weekly Press*, 1858–1864: Established and edited by James Wright. Democratic. Sold in 1860 to R. F. Steiger and J. H. Graham (see *Newton Plaindealer*). They sold to W. D. Mumford (see *Cumberland Democrat*, Prairie City), who added a part of the material of a confiscated office in Arkansas. In 1864 the office was broken up by a mob of soldiers because of radical expressions in the paper, and its publication was discontinued."—F. W. S.

conducted the paper, which then fell into the hands of W. F. Beck. Beck sold to Thomas Tippit, and he to D. P. Moore and H. C. Morris. They sold, since 1907, to Elbert Rowland.

ONARGA, IROQUOIS COUNTY

MERCURY, 1859–1861: Its publishers were R. McKee, Davis and Backus.

TIMES, December 1, 1870–1871: Established by Louis M. Babcock and Jacob Keiser. Mr. Keiser withdrew in a short time. Mr. Charles Drumm bought an interest and became foreman, Mr. Babcock being editor. May 4, 1871, was the last issue before the removal of the *Times* to Watseka, where it was continued as the *Iroquois Times*. Some years after the name was changed again to the *Iroquois County Times*, and as such the paper was still being published in 1897.

ADVERTISER, 1864(?)– 1865+: Published by Ed. Rumley. In 1865 the *Advertiser* was changed to the *Review*. One date given for the first issue is August, 1865.

GRAND PRAIRIE REVIEW, +1865–1869: Originally the *Advertiser*. One date for the merging of the *Advertiser* into the *Review* is given as February, 1866. Rumley and Lowe were editors and publishers. The office was moved to Moline, December, 1869.

SEMINARY GAZETTE 1867–1869(?): Edited by the faculty of Grand Prairie Seminary and published by Rumley and Lowe.

FRUIT GROWER.

COURIER, 1870: Published from spring to fall of that year by Jacob Keiser, who moved it in the fall to Winimac, Indiana.

REVIEW, 1872 to date: Established by John B. Lowe in the winter of 1872, and still published by him in 1880. By 1881 it was called *Central Illinois Review*, with J. D. Long as editor, 1882; E. W. Warren, 1884–1891; Palmer and Gilbert, 1895. By 1895 it was called *Leader and Review*. Republican. (Prints an edition under the name *Inquirer* at Buckley, Iroquois county.)

ONEIDA, KNOX COUNTY

NEWS, November, 1876–September, 1879: Edited and published throughout its existence by A. W. Ladd. Complete files owned by Mr. Ladd, now publisher of the *Weekly News*, Albion, Nebraska.

JOURNAL, ——(?)– ——(?): Appeared but a few times, when it was merged with the Galesburg *Register*.

OQUAWKA, HENDERSON COUNTY

SPECTATOR, February 12, 1848–January 22, 1908: The *Spectator* was published continuously by members of the Patterson family for

nearly sixty-one years. Founded by J. B. Patterson, it was continued by him until January 31, 1849; then by J. B. and E. H. N. Patterson[1] until January 14, 1875; by J. B. Patterson until February 7, 1878; by J. B. and Harry N. Patterson (a grandson) until July 31, 1884; by Harry N. Patterson until January 4, 1899; by Harry N. and F. A. Patterson (his wife) until January 22, 1908, when the paper was discontinued. From October 16, 1850, to April 18, 1856, the title was *Oquawka Spectator and Keithsburg Observer*. A weekly, non-partisan paper to 1863, when it became a Democratic organ. After 1891 it was a Prohibition paper. Files 1848 to date are the property of Mr. Harry Patterson. **FD**

PLAINDEALER, 1852–1858(?): The editors and proprietors of this paper were F. A. Dallam, 1852–1855; Horace Bigelow and Mr. Dallam, 1855–1856; James W. Reed and Mr. Bigelow, 1856–1857; J. K. Magie and David Mitchell, 1857– ——; M. H. Jamison; and Mr. Chamberlain, who moved it to Biggsville. From there it was taken by Judson Graves to Kirkwood, Warren county.

MONTHLY NOVELLETTE, 1868 to date (1869): Published by Biggs and Hevener.

HENDERSON COUNTY JOURNAL, 1878 to date: Established by E. A. Hail, and published continuously by him to date. Republican.

LEISURE MOMENTS, August, 1870–July, 1871: A small four-page monthly published by E. B. Chickering, who seems to have had a job printing office and an unpublished story. The story and the periodical ended with the eleventh instalment.

OREGON, OGLE COUNTY

OGLE COUNTY GAZETTE, +June 11, 1851+: Removed from Mt. Morris and edited by R. C. Burchell, 1851, who, when a few

[1] Writing of Edgar Allan Poe, Mr. Bliss Perry says, "In the last year of his life he was invited by a Mr. E. H. N. Patterson to become the editor of a new magazine." Mr. Patterson "proposed to found under Poe's editorship, 'an influential periodical' at Oquawka, Illinois. 'Oquawka,' he admits, 'is comparatively an unimportant point, but I think that such being the case would not injure at all the circulation of the magazine. . . . Here I can enjoy every mail advantage that I could at St. Louis, being but thirty hours travel from that city, and being situated immediately upon the Mississippi, with daily connection with the Northern Canal and St. Louis, and directly upon the great daily mail line from the East, through Pennsylvania, Ohio and Indiana.'" *Park Street Papers*, 10. A full account of the correspondence between Poe and Mr. Patterson was given some years ago by Eugene Field in *America*, and has been published with facsimile reproductions of all the correspondence, by the Caxton Club: *Some Letters of Edgar Allan Poe to E. H. N. Patterson of Oquawka, Illinois, with Comments by Eugene Field*, Chicago, 1898.

months later the *Gazette* was revived at Mt. Morris, changed the name of the paper to

OGLE COUNTY REPORTER, +1851 to date: Edited by M. W. Smith, 1853; E. H. Leggett, 1857–1861; John Sharp, 1861–1868; owned by M. W. Smith with J. Sharp as editor, 1868–1871; Charles L. Miller and E. L. Otis (Miller being editor), 1871; Mr. Miller and brother, James P. Miller, 1871; William H. Gardner, editor and proprietor, 1871–1872; Gardner and Timoleon Oscar Johnston, 1872; Mr. Johnston editor and proprietor, 1872 till after 1878; Frank Schatzell and others. The present editor and publisher is Frank O. Robinson. Republican. **F**

NATIONAL GUARD, 1866–1873+: Established by Samuel Wilson, most of the material furnished by a joint stock company of Democrats. In three months he associated with himself his brother, F. B. Wilson. S. and F. B. Wilson published the paper until 1867, when the junion partner retired and S. Wilson again became sole editor. In 1869 Ed. T. Richie became associated with Mr. Wilson. In three months Wilson retired and Richie became sole proprietor. In 1871 he sold to Mr. Wilson, who again assumed management. In 1873 Jacob J. Buser purchased one half of the office and in a month or two the name was changed to

OGLE COUNTY GRANGE, +1873–1875+: Wilson and Jacob J. Buser, editors and publishers. In 1873 Buser purchased Wilson's interest and was sole proprietor until February, 1875, when he associated with himself G. L. Bennett. In May, 1875, Buser and Bennett disposed of their entire interest to Charles R. Hawes, who changed the name to

COURIER, +1875– ——(?): Edited and published by Charles R. Hawes. In three months it was transferred to G. L. Bennett. In 1876 Henry P. Lason became editor and publisher. S. D. Wilson was editor and publisher in 1880. Republican. Before 1882 the paper had become the *Independent*, and was Independent in politics. In 1882 and 1884 W. E. Ray was editor and publisher. In 1891 the paper was being issued as a Democratic organ entitled *Independent Democrat*. Waggoner, Sherer, and Johnston were editors and publishers. By 1895 Sherer had withdrawn.

RAPALEE'S JOKINELLO, 1877: Started by Norman Rapalee. Monthly. Printed in the *Courier* office.

ORION, HENRY COUNTY

CHIEF, 1873 to date (1876): Edited and published in 1874 by B. W. Seaton and Sons; in 1875 and 1876 by B. W. Seaton. Printed at the office of the Cambridge *Prairie Chief*.

VIDETTE, June–October, 1877+: Established by A. H. Chaffee. It was bought in October, 1877, by Bolles and N. J. Ludi, who changed the name to

TIMES, +October, 1877–1887: Bolles sold to Ludi in 1878, who conducted the paper until 1883, when the plant was removed. W. A. Bolles put in another plant and continued the name, number, and volume of the *Times* until 1887, when it was bought by a Prohibitionist company and called the *Liberator*. This continued for about a year. Bolles repurchased the plant and sold in March, 1907, to F. S. Fullerton, the present editor.

OSWEGO, KENDALL COUNTY

KENDALL COUNTY COURIER, 1856–——(?)+: Edited by H. S. Humphrey. Changed to

KENDALL COUNTY FREE PRESS, +——(?)–1864: Edited by A. R. Niblo. Moved to Vandalia.

VIDETTE, (?): Taken to Aurora (?).

BOLD HORNET, (?): Taken to Aurora (?).

OTTAWA, LA SALLE COUNTY

REPUBLICAN, 1836 for a few months: A Democratic campaign paper, edited by J. V. A. Hoes. **P**

ILLINOIS FREE TRADER, 1840–1843+: A Democratic paper edited and published by George F. Weaver and John Hise. Changed to **A**

FREE TRADER, +1843 to date: Published by John Hise and William Osman, 1843–1845; William Osman Company, 1845–1847; William and Moses Osman, 1847–1853; George and Julius Avery, 1853–1856; William Osman, 1856–1868; Mr. Osman and Douglas Hapeman, 1868–1882; William Osman and Sons, 1882 to 1891; William Osman and Son, 1891 to date. Issued weekly to 1887, thenceforward daily and weekly. Democratic. Files in office. **SEFP**

CONSTITUTIONALIST, 1844–1852+: Established by James Lowry and H. E. Gedney. Mr. Gedney, 1850–June, 1852. Thaddeus Hampton bought the paper in June, 1852, and changed it to

REPUBLICAN, +1852–1890+: Edited and published by Mr. Hampton and J. W. Kelley, weekly to 1887, thenceforward daily and weekly. June, 1852–1857; Hampton and Buffington, 1857–1859; Mr. Hampton 1859–1864; William Perkins, 1864–January, 1867; Joshua Pusey, January, 1867–two months; Pusey and William Cullen, 1861–June, 1868; Franklin Corwin and George M. Radcliffe, June, 1868–January, 1870; Corwin and F. M. Sapp, January, 1870–a few months; Sapp and Radcliffe, 1870–1871;

Sapp and Cullen, January, 1871–July, 1887; Mr. Sapp, July, 1887–September, 1890. The *Weekly Republican* and the *Daily Times* were consolidated at the latter date as the *Republican-Times*, 1890 to date. Mr. Sapp and Mr. E. A. Nattinger were partners until January, 1900. At this time Mr. Nattinger's interest was sold to Charles E. Pettit and Fred A. Sapp, the firm name becoming Sapp, Pettit, and Sapp. "When the Kansas–Nebraska bill brought about the disruption of the Whig party in 1854, the *Republican*, which had until that time been an organ of the Whig party, was one of the first newspapers in the state to follow the leadership of Abraham Lincoln, Richard Yates and others in the organization of the Republican party."[1] File from 1852–1860 in the office of the *Republican-Times*, Ottawa. Mr. M. Hanifin, Ottawa, Illinois, has an unbound file. **SU**

United Irishman, May 22, 1848 – ——(?): Published by an association of Irishmen, including Messrs. Ryan, Champlin, Fisher, Glover, and Hoes, with Maurice Murphy as the active agent. Devoted to the advocacy of "a repeal of that nefarious Legislative Union between England and Ireland, which has not enriched England, but made Ireland poor indeed." **F**

Statesman, 1868 to date (1869): Edited and published by C. H. Hayes. Democratic. **H**

Central Illinois Wochenblatt, 1868 to date: J. J. Witte and C. W. Denhard were partners in conducting the paper from 1869 to 1879. After Mr. Denhard's death in 1879 Mr. Witte was sole proprietor. German. Independent–Republican.

Commercial Miller, May, 1873–May, 1874: Established and edited by Samuel S. Chisholm, published by the American Miller Publishing Company. After one year it was moved to Chicago, where it was continued under the same management. Monthly. **H**

Times, 1877–1890: The *Times* began as a daily, and started a weekly edition in 1879. Edited and published by E. A. Nattinger. The *Daily Times* was consolidated with the *Republican*, September, 1890. (See *Republican*.) Republican in politics.

PALATINE, COOK COUNTY

Herald, 1872–1876: Earlie Brothers and Company, were editors and publishers, 1873; F. E. Holton and Company, 1874; Williams and Holton, 1875; Frank E. Holton, 1876. Republican.

Enterprise, 1784–1877(?): A monthly advertising sheet. J. W. Smith editor and publisher, 1875; Enterprise Company, 1876.

[1] Letter from F. A. Sapp.

ENTERPRISE, 1878–(after 1891): Edited and published by W. G. Alden. In 1891 W. C. Williams was editor and publisher. No report in 1895. At first Republican, changed to Independent in politics. Printed an edition called Barrington *Herald*.

PALESTINE, RANDOLPH COUNTY

ILLINOIS CHRONICLE AND LITERARY GAZETTE, 1830(?): In the *Crisis* of Edwardsville for September 9, 1830, appeared a proposal for publishing a paper so entitled, to be edited by E. S. Janney and published by Caddington, Beck, and Janney. "It is intended to be emphatically a newspaper, containing correct and useful knowledge only — neither crowded with the complaints and disgusting squabbles of political demagogues, nor filled with the sickly productions of rhymsters, etc." There is no further trace of the publication.

RURALIST, 1856–1857: Edited by Samuel R. Jones, an expounder of the religious doctrine of the "Christians." Independent as to politics. H

BANNER, 1858–1859: A Democratic paper edited by G. W. Harper.

YELLOW JACKET, 1859–1862: Started on the ruins of the defunct *Banner* by A. Malone and E. Logan — the latter withdrawing in a few months. It was Republican in its sympathies.

PANA, CHRISTIAN COUNTY

WEEKLY HERALD, December 23, 1857–1867: Established by Milan S. Beckwith; Independent in politics when first issued, but changed in 1858 to Democratic, and became a supporter of Douglas. The *Herald* was discontinued with no. 41 of vol. 10.

PLAINDEALER, 1859–1860: Edited by E. F. Chittenden. Moved to Shelbyville.

CENTRAL ILLINOIS DEMOCRAT, 1860+: Established January 7, by E. P. Sanders, proprietor and publisher, who had bought out the office of the Taylorville *Journal*. J. B. Butler was editor, assisted from February 23, 1860, to June 1st, by W. P. Phelon. November 9, 1860, the office passed into the hands of G. W. Harper and F. J. Beck, publishers and editors, who changed the name to the

WEEKLY ENTERPRISE, +November 9, 1860+: After one issue the paper was bought November 24, 1860, by O. F. Morrison and M. M. de Levis, who changed its name to the

PUBLIC, +1860–1862: M. de Levis was editor. The paper was kept up by de Levis and Morrison until June 1, 1862, when the office and paper were moved to Clinton, Illinois. Independent in politics.

GAZETTE, July 27, 1865–1891: Established by Richard Couch and R. M. Carr, editors and proprietors. April 7, 1866, Carr purchased the entire interest in the office and remained editor and publisher until December 11, 1868, when R. W. Coon purchased a half interest. Carr and Coon were partners until Coon's withdrawal, February 10, 1871. Carr was editor and proprietor to 1880 or after. He was succeeded by J. C. Essick, who conducted the paper until 1883, when Thomas Kelligar succeeded. In 1884 W. S. Childress was editor. Mrs. Elizabeth Weaver purchased Childress's interest in 1885 and conducted the paper until 1891, when it was discontinued. Republican in politics.

CENTRAL ORIENT, 1866–1868: Established June 20, 1866, by J. F. Harner, publisher and C. S. Hilbourn, editor; firm name, J. F. Harner and Company. Democratic in politics. Discontinued May, 1868.

PALLADIUM, 1869 to date: Established late in 1869 by S. D. Rich, who was succeeded April 23, 1870, by P. A. and J. J. Farley. After several years P. A. Farley's retirement left J. J. Farley sole proprietor and editor. March 15, 1877, he sold the office to A. W. Chabin. Except from June to September of that year, when Jacob Swallow was a partner, Mr. Chabin was sole proprietor and editor from the date of his purchase to March 10, 1879. On that date the office reverted to Farley Brothers, who sold it immediately to Jacob Swallow. Mr. Swallow was editor and owner until November 1, 1906, when Jordan Brothers bought his interest. It is now conducted with W. B. Jordan as editor. Issued daily and weekly. Democratic in politics.

CENTRAL HOMESTEAD, February to November, 1878: A monthly published by E. P. Sanders; printed at the office of the *Gazette*.

WEEKLY ARGUS, 1879– ——(?): Established by A. W. Chabin, March 15, 1879, upon his retirement from the *Palladium*. The first five numbers were printed in Shelbyville and brought to Pana for distribution. After this Colonel J. A. Hayward became joint owner with Mr. Chabin and the office was established in Pana. The *Argus* was Democratic in politics until January 1, 1880, when Colonel Hayward became sole proprietor and editor, and made the paper Republican. Its politics was not again changed. Discontinued.

POST-OFFICE REGISTER, ——(?)——(?): Published by E. C Reese, and printed at the office of the *Gazette*.

PARIS, EDGAR COUNTY

ILLINOIS STATESMAN, 1836–(?): Published for several years by Lovelace and Delay. H

ILLINOIS STATESMAN, 1840–(?): A Democratic paper started for campaign purposes. **A**

PRAIRIE BEACON, 1848–1864+: Founded by Jacob Harding; followed by S. L. Spink, and he by William Moore. **AEF**

WABASH VALLEY REPUBLICAN, June, 1853 to after 1854: A Democratic paper founded by W. D. Latshaw and G. W. Cooper, who conducted it, 1853–1854; then by Messrs. Dill and Cooper, who sold to St. Clair Southerland. **F**

VALLEY BLADE, 1853–1864+: Joined to the *Prairie Beacon* in 1864 and known as

PRAIRIE BEACON AND VALLEY BLADE, +1864 until after 1879+: In 1869 it was edited and published by Dr. H. W. Davis and William Moore. In 1870 William and C. W. Moore were editors, and the first named was publisher. The name was later changed to *Beacon*, which is still published. McFarren Davis is editor. Daily since 1888.

DEMOCRATIC STANDARD, 1860–1865+: A Democratic paper established by McLaffy and Odell. Conducted for a time by J. F. Snow and Brother of Bloomington. It was bought and named

WABASH VALLEY TIMES, +1865–——(?): By William D. Latshaw and John G. Provine. It was afterward sold to H. B. Bishop. In 1869 it was edited and published by Provine and Bishop. Democratic.

EDGAR COUNTY GAZETTE, 1873–1874+: A Democratic paper established by James Shoaff. He died in 1874 and the paper was renamed

PARIS GAZETTE, +1874 to date: Continued by T. B. Shoaff and L. A. G. Shoaff, sons of James Shoaff, until 1880. It is now owned by J. D. and F. L. Shoaff. Democratic.

REPUBLICAN, January, 1877–1881(?): Established by J. M. Prior. In 1879 owned and edited by J. M. Sheets. Later joined with *Prairie Beacon and Valley Blade* as *Republican Beacon*. Discontinued.

EDGAR COUNTY TIMES, 1874: Established by Philip Shutt, later edited by Frank Shutt; then Jacquith and Garner in 1884, when it was semi-weekly. Democratic. Sold to *Gazette*.

EDGAR COUNTY REPORTER, 1879: Monthly. Discontinued.

PARK RIDGE, COOK COUNTY

NORMAL HERALD, 1875–1876: S. W. Davis was editor and publisher. Educational. "The only weekly in America devoted to phonetics and short-hand writing."

PAW PAW, LEE COUNTY

NEWS, 1874–1879: W. H. Haskell was editor and publisher in 1875–1879. Printed at the office of the Amboy *Journal*. U

HERALD, November 23, 1877–(after 1895): Established by R. H. Ruggles of Mendota. Mr. Ruggles was proprietor and editor. He was succeeded as editor by E. G. Cass and J. B. Gardner, in January, 1878. W. M. Geddes became editor in February, 1878, and bought the paper of Mr. Ruggles shortly after. He was still editor and proprietor in 1882. In 1884 Sanford and Lane were editors and publishers; C. A. Morris in 1891 and 1895. Republican. Discontinued.

LEE COUNTY TIMES, March 21, 1878 to date: Established by E. G. Cass and J. B. Gardner. Mr. Gardner retired in August 1878. In 1881 Mr. Cass was still sole editor. Upon the death of Cass, M. L. Goodyear succeeded him and later was succeeded by O. W. Briggs; he by E. G. Davis; and he by Ed. F. Guffin in February, 1905. Republican.

PAXTON, FORD COUNTY

FORD COUNTY UNION, 1864–1865+: Established in 1864. Bought in 1865 by N. E. Stevens, who changed the name to

RECORD, +1865 to date: Established and still published and edited by N. E. Stevens.[1] A daily edition was established September, 1897. Republican in politics. Files in the office. *Record* also publishes an edition known as Loda *Times*, for Loda, Iroquois county; C. E. Healy, local editor.

FORD COUNTY LIBERAL, August, 1872–1874: Established by Charles D. Sibley. Thomas Wolfe bought it in November. Wolfe and Dodd were editors and publishers in 1874. Burned out in October, 1874. Liberal and Greenback.

FORD COUNTY BLADE, July–December, 1876: A Democratic paper started by Creed and Doxsey.

FORD COUNTY NEWS, November, 1877–January, 1878+: A Republican paper started by Holmes and Colvin.

STANDARD, January, +1878–1879: Edited and published by Holmes and Colvin. Considered a continuation of the *News*, but was Greenback in politics.

APPEAL, November, 1879 to date: A paper established with Thomas Wolfe as editor and B. F. Hill publisher. J. C. Dunham bought it in 1880 and changed the name in 1881 to *Eastern Illinois Register*. J. W. Dunnan became editor and publisher in 1900. At first Greenback, Dunham made it Independent-Democratic.

[1] N. E. Stevens has been active as a newspaper editor for fifty-seven years. Since the death of B. F. Shaw of the Dixon *Telegraph*, Mr. Stevens has the longest record of service of all Illinois editors.

REAL ESTATE BULLETIN, 1870–1871: An advertising sheet issued by Kinnear and Earl for nearly two years.

PAYSON, ADAMS COUNTY

COUNTY NEWS, June, 1875–1895: Founded by William D. Perry to aid the county fair. Continued as a monthly newspaper and later (1881) called *News and Central Recorder*. Discontinued in 1895.

PECATONICA, WINNEBAGO COUNTY

INDEPENDENT, May, 1859–1860: Edited by J. E. Duncan; continued for a little more than one year. Republican. Copies in the *News* office.

ENTERPRISE, 1872–1880(?): A trade paper edited by Farwell and Pierce. Not mentioned in Ayer for 1881. Copies in the *News* office.

NEWS, 1872 to date: Established by Colby Brothers. Now published by G. F. Colby. Republican.

PEKIN, TAZEWELL COUNTY

TAZEWELL TELEGRAPH, about 1837: Listed by Peck in his *Gazeteer* for 1837.

TAZEWELL REPORTER, 1840–——(?): Established, edited and published by N. S. Trice. Whig. **A**

ILLINOIS PALLADIUM, July, 1842–——(?): Edited by Willis G. Barbour; Published by T. J. Pickett. A Henry Clay organ. **F**

MIRROR, 1848–1854+: Established by John S. Lawrence, who sold after about two months to John Smith, in October, 1848. He sold to Bernard Bailey in 1850, and with Adam Henderson bought it again in 1851. Smith sold to Merrill C. Young in the fall of 1854; Young consolidated the *Mirror* and *Revielle* in the weekly *Plaindealer*. Whig. **AU**

REVEILLE, 1850–1854+: A Democratic paper started by James Shoaff and E. S. Rogers. Sold to J. C. Thompson in 1851; to Merrill C. Young in the winter of 1853–1854. He consolidated it with the *Mirror* to form the

PLAINDEALER, +1854–1856+: Published as an Independent paper by Young and Underwood until 1856, when it was bought by Thomas J. Pickett and named **S**

TAZEWELL REGISTER, +1856–1873+: Thomas J. Pickett conducted it as an Independent paper with Republican tendencies, until the spring of 1858, when John McDonald bought it and made

it Democratic. In 1869 William T. Meades was editor and publisher. It was sold to W. T. Dowdall and J. D. Irwin, and became the

TIMES, +1873 to date: Irwin soon became sole owner and in 1881 established the *Daily Times*. In 1886 the papers became the property of A. W. Rodecker and F. Shurtleff, under the firm name of Times Publishing Company. They are now Democratic papers under the editorship and ownership of Judge A. W. Rodecker.

DER WACHTER AM ILLINOIS, 1852: Established by L. Reitzenstine, and continued for six months.

————, 1854: A German paper established by Koeber and Lohman and sold to a Mr. Lugans. Lived but a short time.

TAZEWELL COUNTY MIRROR, 1855–1860: A revival of the *Mirror* conducted by Thomas J. Pickett until 1860, when John Smith became its owner, discontinued it, and began the

TAZEWELL COUNTY REPUBLICAN, 1860–1886: John Smith conducted the paper until 1862, when Hezekiah Naylor became the owner. He sold to W. W. Sellers, 1863–1872; after several changes it was bought by Mrs. Inez in 1886 and the *Daily Post* was established. J. B. Irwin was editor and manager at this time. The paper became the *Post-Tribune* in 1900 by consolidation with the *Tribune*, established in 1895 by Mayron Corey. U

PATRIOT, 1862. Established by Hezekiah Naylor and O. White. Had a brief existence. Perhaps the date should be 1861. See Virginia, *Cass County Independent*.

FREIE PRESSE, 1867–1868: An auxiliary to a paper in Peoria. It was started by Julius Myer Pefer; later owned by a Mr. Luntz.

INDEPENDENT, 1870: Established by Theodore Falk; sold to Henry Fuss. A German paper which had a brief existence.

BULLETIN 1873–1876: Edited and published by William H. Bates. Became a daily in 1876. U

HERALD, ——(?)–1875: Merged with the *Republican* in 1875 by D. W. Lusk.

FREIE PRESSE, June, 1876 to date: The old *Freie Presse* was resurrected by John W. Hoffman. After several changes in ownership the paper was bought in 1884 by A. Weiss, who still owns it (1907).

LEGAL TENDER, December, 1877–1879: Issued by B. S. Heath and Company in the interest of the "Greenback Labor" party. Frank M. Castle and James Vogan acquired the property in

July, 1878; Vogan withdrew in December; James and Herbert Whitfield bought it in May, 1879. Later discontinued.

PEORIA, PEORIA COUNTY

ILLINOIS CHAMPION AND PEORIA HERALD March 10 (22?), 1834–1836: A Whig paper founded by Abraham S. Buxton and Henry Wolford. In the first few numbers the paper made a bid for popularity by advocating the removal of the state capital to Peoria. Before April, 1836, it was sold to J. S. Armstrong and Jacob D. Shewalter, who changed the name to **A**

ILLINOIS CHAMPION AND PEORIA REPUBLICAN, +1836–1837+: Jerome L. Marsh was employed to edit and conduct the paper. In 1837 it was sold to S. H. Davis, who changed the name to

REGISTER AND NORTHWESTERN GAZETTEER, +1837–1842+: S. H. Davis was editor. Its politics were Whig. Davis sold in 1842 to Samuel and W. Henry Butler, who reduced the name to **APHE**

REGISTER, +1842–1845+: In 1845 the Butlers sold to Thomas J. Pickett who took H. K. W. Davis as a partner for an unknown time, and changed the name to Monmouth **F**

WEEKLY REGISTER, +1845–1848(?)+: Three years later a Mr. Woodcock was a partner of Pickett, and the two issued the

DAILY REGISTER, +June–August, 1848: It was the first daily paper in Peoria.

DEMOCRATIC PRESS, February, 20, 1840–1857: Edited by John S. Zieber, 1840–1846; Thomas Phillips, 1846–1849; Washington Cockle, 1849–1851; Enoch P. Sloan, 1851–1856; Mr. Cornwell for a short time and then George W. Raney until the establishment was destroyed by fire in 1858. From 1853 to 1854 there were a weekly and a tri-weekly issue; from 1854 to 1856, a weekly and a daily issue. Monmouth **PAF**

GERRYMANDER, March–fall, 1843: Edited by S. DeWitt Drown. A campaign paper ridiculing the work of the legislature of 1842–1843 in dividing the State in such a way as to make but one Whig congressional district in seven.

AMERICAN, July, 1845–1850: Established and published by James Kirkpatrick. First paper in Illinois to put the name of "Rough and Ready" at the head of its columns.

NINETEENTH CENTURY, September ——(?), 1848: Established by J. R. Watson and D. D. Irons as a National Reform paper. After a few months sold to James Kirkpatrick, who merged it with *American*.

CHAMPION, 1849–1850: Issued daily by Pickett and Davis. The burning of the office and press ended the life of the paper.

REPUBLICAN, June 1, 1850–1857: A Whig paper established by Thomas J. Pickett. Editors in succession were: Baily and Pickett; Pickett and Waite; Pickett and Samuel L. Coulter. Sold in 1856 to Samuel L. Coulter, and discontinued a year or two afterward. It was at first issued as a weekly, but beginning January 17, 1853, it was issued daily and weekly.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE, March 4, 1851 – ——(?): Established by Dr. J. W. Hitchcock. **F**

ILLINOIS BANNER, February 18, 1852–1858, 1859+: The first German paper in Peoria; established by J. Wolf and A. Zotz. Wolf withdrew after four months, and Zotz continued the paper as a weekly, then a tri-weekly, and then a daily, until January 14, 1858, when he sold to Edward Rummel and a Mr. Kappis. Kappis withdrew after a year, and Rummel changed the paper's name to *Deutsche Zeitung*. Democratic. The *Banner* was revived for a short time in 1859 by William Geilhausen. **SF**

DEUTSCHE ZEITUNG, +1859–1878: The paper became Republican under Rummel, who conducted it alone until the close of the war, when Captain Fresenius bought an interest. In 1869 Rummel became secretary of state and sold his interest to Fresenius, who sold on January 1, 1871, to Rudolph Eichenburger. He continued it until November 9, 1878, when he sold to the *Demokrat*. **U**

DAILY MORNING NEWS, May 26, 1852–1857+: Established by George W. Raney in opposition to the *Democratic Press*, and fought Douglas. In 1858 Raney bought the equipment of the defunct *Press* and, discontinuing the *News*, began the **PF**

DEMOCRATIC UNION, +1857–1862: This paper, under George W. Raney, was the leading Democratic organ until September, 1862, when upon Raney's going to war, its publication ceased. Daily. **PAF**

MEMENTO, August, 1854–1861, 1867–1870: A monthly publication devoted to literature and Odd-Fellowship. William Rounseville was editor and N. C. Nason publisher. It was discontinued in 1861, revived by Nason in April, 1867, and finally discontinued in May, 1870. **C**

TRANSCRIPT, December 17, 1855–1898+: The first number of the weekly *Transcript* appeared January 1, 1856. Edited at first by William Rounseville and published by Rounseville and N. C. Nason. Soon it was transferred to Caleb Whittemore and Sanford Moon. After a short time it was bought by James G. Merrill, who sold in the fall of 1859 to Nathan C. Geer. Rounseville had remained editor up to this time, and had supported

Democracy. Geer assumed editorship and changed the politics of the paper to Republican. He sold in 1860 to Enoch Emery and A. Andrews. In 1865 Emery bought out Andrews and was sole owner until 1869, when it was transferred to the Peoria Transcript Company. Emery was editor from 1860 until the end of 1880, and made the *Transcript* one of the most influential political papers of the state. Through 1880 the paper was conducted by Emery and R. H. Whiting; Whiting was succeeded at the close of the year by Alexander Stone, who remained manager until 1892. In that period the paper was edited successively by Welker Given, William Hoyne, E. P. Brooks, William S. Brackett and R. M. Hanna. In March, 1893, a new Transcript company was organized; I. N. Garver was made manager, and Thomas R. Weddell editor. In 1898 the paper was merged in the *Herald* (established 1889), which has since that time been called *Herald Transcript*. Daily. Files (daily), 1857–December, 1898 (weekly), February, 1858–December, 1892, in the Peoria Public Library. **EPAVF**

ILLINOIS TEACHER, 1856–1873+: A monthly established as the organ of the Illinois Teachers' Association, with Charles E. Hovey as editor and N. C. Nason as publisher. Newton Bateman was editor in 1858. At the close of that year the publication became independent of the association. It was published by Hill and Nason until 1860, and by Nason alone until 1873, when the publication was sold to the *Schoolmaster*, Normal, and a new name, *Illinois Schoolmaster*, resulted. **SCHU**

CHRISTIAN SENTINEL, 1856–1858: A monthly magazine devoted to the interests of the "Christian" Church; issued by O. A. Burgess, J. N. Carman, and John Lindsey. It was in its third volume when first published in Peoria, and was continued in Eureka after 1858.

FILLMORE UNION, September 8–November, 1856: A campaign paper edited by a committee. **F**

DEMOKRAT, August 18, 1860 to date: Established and edited by Alois Zotz, 1860–1864; Bernard Cremer, and Christian Pohlmann for a short time, then Bernard Cremer alone, October 24, 1864, to date. Published by B. Cremer and Brothers since January, 1874. Files at the office. German daily. **P**

MORNING MAIL, ——— ———: Established by George W. Raney. Files in the Peoria Public Library, January, 1863–June, 1864. This paper was succeeded by **P**

STAR, and

POST, both short-lived adventures of George W. Raney, the exact dates of which are not known.

NATIONAL DEMOCRAT, September, 1865–1886(?): Daily and weekly. W. T. Dowdall, editor and publisher. **PHU**

TEMPERANCE MAGAZINE, July, 1867–——(?): Edited and published by Boyle and Franks. Monthly. **S**

ADVERTISER, March, 1871–1878+: An advertising sheet published by Elderkin and Bissell and distributed gratuitously. In 1873 Elderkin and Chapman; in October, 1873, Chapman was succeeded by Harry Reynolds, the paper was enlarged and a subscription price charged. Reynolds retired in 1875. In 1878 the name was changed to

SUN, +October, 1878–after 1880: In January, 1880, R. E. Laurer entered the firm and the Sun Publishing Company was organized.

EVENING REVIEW, 1873–1884(?): Established by Sheldon and Baldwin. Bought by Thomas Cratty, who associated with him Leslie Robinson. In January, 1873, Dowdall of the *Democrat* and Enoch Emery of the *Transcript* bought the paper. But the staff changed printing offices and with Robert J. Burdette as editor, continued the paper until June, when Dowdall bought it again and continued it. Afterward discontinued. **P**

WESTERN SCIENTIFIC JOURNAL, 1874–1876(?): Edited and published by L. O. Wilson and Mr. Morris. Monthly, **UE**

SATURDAY EVENING CALL, April, 1877–1886(?): Established by R. Henderson and Company (S. R. Henderson, J. D. Weaver, J. W. Clifton), editors and publishers in 1879. A "family" paper. Discontinued.

EVENING JOURNAL, December 1, 1877 to date: Established by E. F. Baldwin and Jacob B. Barnes. Edited by E. F. Baldwin until 1885. It then became the property of a stock company composed of Baldwin, Barnes, M. N. Snider and Charles Powell; after a short time after some changes Barnes became chief owner, and was editor until about 1890. In 1900 the paper was bought by James P. Dawson, and Charles Carroll became editor. In 1905 Henry M. Pindell was owner and Robert P. Hanna editor. Independent Democratic. **C**

PHARMACEUTICAL NEWS, July, 1878–——(?): Established by J. T. Skinner, who was succeeded by Dr. H. Steele.

SONNTAGS-ZEITUNG, 1878–1880(?): Edited in 1879 by Adolph Zwanzig. Evidently short-lived, as it was not mentioned in Ayer in 1881.

SONNE, April 17, 1879 to date: Established by L. P. Wolf, William J. Brus, and Joseph Wolfram. The Sunday edition, begun in

1880, is called *Sonntags-Glocke*. In 1886 L. P. Wolf became editor and publisher, and has so continued. German daily and weekly

ILLINOIS TRADESMAN AND MANUFACTURER, 1879–1881: Conducted by John A. Monger.

PEOTONE, WILL COUNTY

EAGLE, 1877–1888: An advertising sheet mentioned in Ayer for 1881. Established by James Barnhart. Files in possession of Mr. Barnhart.

PERRY, PIKE COUNTY

PARAGRAPH, 1878–1880(?): H. C. Cobb was editor and publisher. Short-lived.

PERU, LA SALLE COUNTY

NINAWA GAZETTE, May 16, 1840–1841: Established by Allen N. Ford and edited by G. W. Holley. A Harrison paper. Moved to Lacon. **A**

BEACON LIGHT, afterwards the *Junction Beacon*, 1846–1848: Established by Nash and Elliott, published by Mead, Higgins and Boyle and later by T. W. Mead. **F**

TELEGRAPH, 1848–1853+: Published by Holbrook and Underhill. Freesoil. In 1853 it was sold to J. F. and N. Linton and the name changed to **F**

CHRONICLE, +1853–1856: For ten months of the life of the *Chronicle*, Messrs. Linton published a daily. Ottawa

DEMOCRAT, 1850–(?): Edited by Thomas W. Welch.

RATTLESNAKE, 1855+: Founded by Guy Hulett. Changed to

LA SALLE COUNTY SENTINEL, +1855–after 1858: A Democratic paper published by J. L. McCormick and Guy Hulett; afterward by J. F. Meginness. Faithfully supported Douglas. **F**

COMMERCIAL AND VOLKSFREUND (German), 1858–(?):

HERALD, 1858–1884+: Published by H. S. Beebe, 1858–1860. F. M. Sapp purchased it in 1860, in 1861 the materials of the defunct German paper, and in 1863 the materials of the collapsed *Chronicle*. Mr. Sapp was sole editor, 1863–1870; Gallagher and Williams, 1870–1876; W. B. Tapley, editor, Spencer Ellsworth, publisher, 1876–1884.

NEWS, 1879–1884+: Established as a semi-weekly by H. S. Corwin. In 1884 he bought the *Herald* and combined the two as *Twin City News-Herald*. A daily edition was started in 1886 called

News-Herald, and the *Twin City News-Herald* was made a weekly. W. B. Tapley was editor of the combined papers. In 1891 H. S. Corwin was editor.

PETERSBURG, MENARD COUNTY

EXPRESS, 1854–1855+: Edited by S. B. Dugger. Changed to

MENARD INDEX, +1855–1863: Edited by H. L. Clay, 1855–1858; Hamilton and Brooks, 1858–1863. At first neutral as to politics, then friendly to Douglas, but finally became Republican. which greatly enraged the citizens. SAF

FILLMORE BUGLE, 1856: A campaign paper edited by William Glenn.

MENARD COUNTY AXIS, 1859–1867+: Democratic in politics; edited by C. Clay, 1859–1867. He sold it to a joint stock company and its name was changed to

DEMOCRAT, +1867– to date: Edited by M. B. Friend, 1867–1871; E. T. McElwain, 1871–1877; A. E. Mick (with S. S. Knoles as associate editor, 1878), 1877– ——(?). In 1907 Wilkinson and Oustott were editors and publishers.

MENARD REPUBLICAN, 1868–1874(?): J. T. McNeely was editor and publisher; Bennett and Zane, 1872; W. S. Bennett, 1873; Bennett and Bryant, 1874. It had evidently suspended by 1875, as it was not mentioned in Rowell of that date.

MENARD COUNTY TIMES, 1873–1877(?): Established by John Frank. In 1876 Frank and Parks became editors and publishers; Francis M. Taylor was editor and proprietor in 1877. S

OBSERVER, 1876 to date: Established by Cain and Parks, editors and publishers; A. N. Curry, 1882; W. R. Parks, 1884+. Independent; Greenback in 1880. In 1905 it was classified as Republican, with L. F. Watson as editor.

REPUBLICAN, 1879–(after 1880): Martin and Davis were editors and publishers in 1880.

PHILO, CHAMPAIGN COUNTY

HERALD, (?): Listed in Rowell for 1869 as edited and published by Harper and Lane. This is one of John S. Harper's numerous ephemeral publications. It is not remembered by any old inhabitants of the village. Printed at the office of the Homer *Journal*.

PINCKNEYVILLE, PERRY COUNTY

PERRY COUNTY TIMES, 1856–(?): Edited by William Ewing.

PERRY COUNTY BANNER, 1869–1871: Edited and published by John A. Wall and D. B. Van Syckel. Independent. In 1870 Van Syckel's interest was purchased by E. H. Lemon, Esquire.

Lemon made it Republican. In 1871 W. K. Murphy and John Boyd were editors. In four months it was sold to Messrs. Kimball and Taylor who removed the office to DuQuoin. (See *DuQuoin Republican.*)

INDEPENDENT, 1875–1878+: John A. Wall was editor and proprietor. In 1878 the office passed into the hands of C. E. H. Willoughby, who changed the name to **U**

PERRY COUNTY DEMOCRAT, +1878 to date: It passed from C. E. H. Willoughby to J. J. Sargeant and Thomas K. Willoughby. In 1880 Sargeant bought out Willoughby's interest. In 1881 publication was suspended. In a month the office was purchased by W. A. Penny. J. J. Penny, a brother, became a partner, and took editorial charge. It was sold to Roy Alden in 1892, and to Orah E. Meyer in 1903. In 1906 Joseph E. Brey was editor, and on March 1, 1907, T. L. Baxter became publisher. He continues so at the present time. *Perry County* seems to have been dropped from the title at some time after 1881.

PERRY COUNTY SIGNAL, 1878–1880: Established by John A. Wall and L. D. Murphy. In 1879 Wall withdrew, and after a short time the paper was suspended. Republican.

PIPER CITY, FORD COUNTY

ADVERTISER, 1876 to date: A Republican paper edited and published by Henry Allnut.

PITTSFIELD, PIKE COUNTY

SUCKER AND FARMERS' RECORD, June 1, 1842–1846: Edited by M. J. Noyes and I. B. Price. Whig. Issued weekly. Succeeded by **A**

PIKE COUNTY FREE PRESS, April 13, 1846–1858+: Edited first by Z. N. Garbutt, then by Z. N. Garbutt and M. H. Abbott; later by John G. Nicolay and Mr. Parks; afterward by Mr. Nicolay alone; in 1857 by J. W. and F. M. Cunningham. Whig; under Garbutt was against all secret societies; under John G. Nicolay it was one of the papers to endorse the call to anti-Nebraska editors that brought about the organizing of the Republican party in Illinois. It was issued at Pittsfield and Griggsville. Became the **UAF**

PIKE COUNTY JOURNAL, 1858–1863+: Edited by D. B. Bush, Jr. Mr. Bush sold to Robert McKee. In 1863 Messrs. McKee and William A. Grimshaw named it

OLD FLAG, +1863 to date: Edited by Robert H. Creswell, published by James Creswell, 1871–1873; James Gallagher was editor, Creswell and Gallagher, publishers, 1874–1879. James

Gallagher and Son were publishers in 1882; Turner Brothers, 1884–1891. Name changed to *Pike County Republican* in 1894. Burr H. Swan is editor and publisher at present. Republican.

PIKE COUNTY SENTINEL, 1845–1849+: Edited by T. J. Trumbull, supported by G. W. Smith. Democratic. In 1849 John S. Roberts purchased it and changed it to

PIKE COUNTY UNION, +1849–1857+: Roberts was editor, 1849–1851; M. H. Abbott, 1851–1857. A file in the Library of Congress, May 2, 1855–June 9, 1856, shows that the *Pike County Union* was printed at Griggsville during that period and dated for Griggsville and Pittsfield. Abbott changed it to **A**

PIKE COUNTY DEMOCRAT, +1857 to date: Edited by Brown and Frazier; Frazier and McGinnis; Robert F. Frazier. In 1865 it became the property of J. M. Bush, whose sons, W. C. Bush and J. M. Bush, became owners, editors and publishers in January, 1904. The senior J. M. Bush is a brother of D. B. Bush of the *Journal*. Democratic. Files in the office. **E**

PLAINFIELD, WILL COUNTY

WATCH TOWER, 1875: A "family newspaper" edited and published by Mary A. Tounshendeau. It was discontinued when the *Echo* was established. Files owned by G. W. Flagg, Plainfield.

ECHO, 1876–1877: Established as a "family newspaper" by H. A. Tounshendeau. In was absorbed in 1877 by the Joliet confederation of *Phoenixes*. In its place Tounshendeau established

APEX, 1877: H. A. Tounshendeau was editor. Independent.

PHOENIX, 1877: J. H. Ferriss was editor; McDonald, Ferriss and Company publishers. Devoted to farmers' interests.

PLANO, KENDALL COUNTY

TRUE LATTER DAY SAINTS' HERALD, 1860–(after 1881): An organ of the Latter Day Saints. It was edited in 1869 by Joseph Smith and Henry A. Stebbins, and published by the Board of Publication of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. Semi-monthly. **S**

MIRROR, 1864–(after 1884): A Republican paper edited in 1869, and in 1879, by John R. Marshall; E. J. Bennett, 1882; E. I. Bennett, editor, J. R. Marshall, proprietor, 1884. Printed at the office of the Yorkville *Kendall County Record*.

ZION'S HOPE, 1869–(after 1881): Another organ of the Latter Day Saints, with the same editors and publishers, in 1869, as of *Saints' Herald*. Semi-monthly.

NEWS, 1872 to date: Established by R. M. and Collie D. M. Springer, editors and publishers. J. M. Marley, editor, 1880; Marley

and Cook, 1882; F. E. Marley, 1884. By 1881 the name had been changed to *Kendall County News*. Edited and published in 1907 by George S. Faxon.

PLYMOUTH, HANCOCK COUNTY

LOCOMOTIVE, 1857–1858: Published by a company and at first edited by Thomas Gregg. A. W. Hahn was editor in 1858. **F**

DOLLAR MONTHLY, May, 1873–January, 1876+: Conducted by Thomas Gregg. Changed to

RURAL MESSENGER, +January, 1876–April, 1877: Edited and published by Thomas Gregg. A sixteen page paper "devoted to literary and rural affairs."

ADVOCATE, January, 1877–April, 1879: Conducted by E. A. Hall until August, 1878, when he sold to W. A. Post and Jesse W. Bell, Jr. Post as editor, was succeeded by W. S. Hendricks.

PHONOGRAPH, June, 1879–(after 1882): Begun as a Democratic paper by Charles N. Bassett. Changed to a neutral.

POLO, OGLE COUNTY

SENTINEL, October–December, 1856: A Democratic paper started by F. O. Austin and continued for about three months. No copy known to be in existence.

CHAMPION OF FREEDOM, January, 1857: Established by John Marcellus Perkins. Only a few numbers were issued. J. W. Clinton owns copies of one or two. The paper was probably printed at the office of the *Sentinel* or the *Transcript*.

TRANSCRIPT, June, 1857–April, 1858: Edited by Charles Meigs, Jr., for a joint stock company composed of Zenas Aplington, W. W. Burns, L. W. Warren, Lemuel Newton Barber, and S. C. Treat. In May, 1858, the material was purchased by Henry R. Boss, proprietor of the *Advertiser*. **F**

OGLE COUNTY BANNER, April 14, 1858–1860: A Democratic paper issued by R. P. Redfield for a joint stock company. In 1859 Mr. Redfield purchased the office, enlarged the paper and passed it over to J. M. Williams, who passed it to George D. Reed. Redfield, Williams, J. H. More, and George D. Reed were editors for short periods. J. W. Clinton of Polo has a few copies.

ADVERTISER, May 6, 1858–1863+: Established by Henry R. Boss, using the material of the *Transcript*. Boss sold in December, 1860, to Morton D. Swift. He and J. D. Dopf merged in this paper the Mt. Morris *Press*. Dopf withdrew in March, 1861 and Swift enlisted in April, whereupon the paper passed to J. D. Campbell and James W. Carpenter, lawyers, who issued the

paper when they could get printers. Carpenter died in 1862. Swift returned in 1863, and he and Campbell changed the name to

POLO PRESS, +March, 1863–1866+: Campbell and Swift conducted the paper until February, 1865, when Daniel Scott and M. V. Satzman bought it. Scott soon gave way to Swift. August 1, 1865, John W. Clinton bought the paper, and in 1866 changed the name to

OGLE COUNTY PRESS, +1866–1901: J. W. Clinton was editor publisher and owner until July 1, 1901, when he sold to A. T. Cowan, who changed the name to *Tri-County Press* and has continued its publication. Mr. Clinton has files of the *Advertiser* and the *Press*.

FREE DEMOCRAT, 1860: Edited by a Mr. Johnson through the campaign.

THE CHURCH, 1868–1870: Edited by Dr. J. C. Allahan. Devoted to the fighting of church organizations. It was published "as often as God furnished the means," but it was not published very often.

ADVERTISER, 1869–1870: An advertising sheet issued by J. W. Clinton.

POULTRY ARGUS, 1874–1877: Established by Drs. C. H. Kenegy and M. L. Wolff; Dr. Wolff retired in five months. In six months Dr. Kenegy sold out to D. D. L. Miller and J. W. Clinton, who continued publication under the firm name of Miller and Clinton until 1876, when J. W. Clinton became publisher, D. L. Miller still acting as editor. It was first printed in Freeport, but later in the office of the *Ogle County Press*, until 1877, when it was sold and removed from the state.

CHRISTIAN RADICAL, 1875–1882: A semi-monthly publication of the United Brethren in Christ; organ of the Rock River Conference. Continued six and one-half years. Rev. Parker Hurless was editor. **U**

ADVERTISER, 1877: Mentioned in Rowell for 1879 with George W. McAtee as editor and publisher.

PONTIAC, LIVINGSTON COUNTY

LIVINGSTON COUNTY NEWS, 1855–1857(?): Edited by J. S. France; Mr. France passed its publication to Philip Cook and M. A. Renoe; Cook soon sold to Mr. Jones; Renoe and Jones soon sold to Mr. Albee and shortly its publication ceased. Early copies are in the possession of Jacob Streamer, Pontiac. It was Republican in politics. **F**

SENTINEL, 1857 to date: Edited by Cook and Gagan, 1857–1863. They sold it to M. E. Collins, he to Stout and Decker, they to W. F. Denslow, he to James Stout. It was destroyed by fire in 1866. In 1869 Mr. Stout sold to Jones and Renoe, who were publishing the *Free Press*. They consolidated the papers under the name of *Sentinel and Press*. H. C. Jones was proprietor, 1873–1875, and he changed the name back to *Sentinel*. F. L. Alles edited it, 1875–1884; Lowry and Clark, 1884–1895; H. J. Clark, 1895–1897. C. C. Strawn was editor in 1907. Republican. **UEF**

FREE PRESS, 1867– ——(?): A Republican paper edited in 1869 by H. C. Jones and A. W. Kellogg, and published by Jones and Renoe. Not mentioned in 1879.

LIVINGSTON COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1868–1871(?): A Democratic paper edited in 1869 by Wittan and Organ; by T. H. Organ, 1870–1871.

FREE TRADER, 1870–1907: A Greenback paper edited by E. M. Johnson and published by Johnson and staff in 1879. At some time between 1882 and 1884 it became *Free Trader and Observer*. In 1907 it was edited and published by Johnson and Renoe. In the same year it was sold to C. R. Bruer and discontinued.

FORD'S LIVINGSTON COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1878– ——(?): Edited and published in 1879 by J. G. Ford. It seems to have disappeared before 1881.

HERALD, 1870: A short-lived Republican paper issued by J. H. Hewitt.

PORT BYRON, ROCK ISLAND COUNTY

TIMES, 1861(?): Listed, without details, in Kenney's *American Newspaper Directory* for 1861.

WEEKLY, 1877: Published by H. L. Barter. Independent.

PRAIRIE CITY, McDONOUGH COUNTY

CHRONICLE, 1857–1858: Edited and published by R. W. Seaton. **F**

PRAIRIE CHIEF, 1858–few weeks: Edited by R. W. Seaton, who published it in the interest of the Good Templars.

GAZETTE, 1869– ——(?): Established by Cheesebro and Harshberger. Monthly.

HERALD, 1869 to date: Established by Charles W. Taylor and edited and published by him to 1881. This is practically the same *Herald* which is published in Prairie City at present under that name. It was called the *Bugle* for two years, 1881 to 1883, and then changed back to *Herald*. Files, 1869 to 1879, and 1883 to 1908 are in the possession of L. M. Hamilton.

PRINCETON, BUREAU COUNTY

BUREAU ADVOCATE, 1847–1851+: Published by Ebenezer Higgins until 1848. The editorial page was divided into three departments — two columns each — and was Whig, Democrat, and Liberty in the respective departments. The first department was called "Whig Advocate," and was edited by a "Whig Committee"; the second was "Democratic Advocate," and was edited by a "Democratic Committee," and the third was "Liberty Advocate," and was edited by a "Liberty Committee." In 1847 the *Advocate* quoted an editorial from the New York *Post* "furiously lashing" protection and banks. John H. Bryant was a brother of William Cullen Bryant of the *Post*. In August, 1848, it became a Free Soil organ. In the same year B. F. Hammond and T. W. Welsh bought out Mr. Higgins, and John H. Bryant became editor. It soon changed to the hands of Bryant and Dean. In 1851 the name was changed to the **F**

POST, +1851–——(?)+: Firm name was Coates, Kinney, and B. Clark Lundy. Editors: Hooper Warren for a short time in 1851; Justin H. Olds, 1851–1854; Charles Faxon, 1854–1858. Republican. For a time, after 1854, the name was changed to **F**

PRINCETONIAN, +——(?)-1858+: It was renamed in 1858

BUREAU COUNTY REPUBLICAN, +1858 to date: Published by Rhue and Hewitt and later by Bryant and Hewitt to 1861, during which time it was edited by John H. Bryant. Mr. Bryant had sole charge, 1861–1863; John W. Bailey, 1863–1872; Mr. Bailey and L. J. Colton, 1872–1874; Mr. Bailey and Charles P. Bascom, 1874 to 1886; J. W. Bailey and son, H. U. Bailey, 1886–1903; H. U. Bailey, 1903 to date. Bryant was a brother of William Cullen Bryant of the New York *Evening Post*, and shared his distinguished brother's views against slavery and a protective tariff. There is a complete file of the *Republican* with the present publishers. **F**

BUREAU COUNTY HERALD, 1848: Established by Philip Payne as a Democratic organ. Short-lived.

YEOMAN OF THE PRAIRIE LAND, 1851–(?): Conducted by Dr. S. Allen Paddock.

BUREAU COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1856–1863+: Edited by C. N. Pine, 1856–1858; Eckles and Kyles, with Eckles as editor, 1858; Eckles and Gibbons, 1858; W. H. Messenkop (with a short intermission in which C. J. Peckham controlled it), 1858–1863. Changed to

BUREAU COUNTY PATRIOT, +1863–1871+: A Democratic paper run by C. L. and J. Smith. Changed to

BUREAU COUNTY HERALD, +1871–1876: Run by C. N. Whitney. Sold at sheriff's sale, 1876.

BUREAU COUNTY TRIBUNE, 1872 to date: Established by W. H. Messenkop, who published it in support of Horace Greeley, until December, when he sold it to Smith and Winship. In July, 1873, Mr. Winship sold to E. K. Mercer, and Smith and Mercer published the paper until October, 1875, when Smith sold his interest to E. F. Doran; he sold in 1876 to C. L. Smith. Mercer and Smith edited and published the *Tribune* until 1881, when Smith retired. The paper is still conducted by E. K. Mercer. Bound files to 1881 in Bureau county Court House; since 1881 in the office.

REPERTORY, 1874–1876: W. G. Reeve was editor and publisher. Monthly.

PRINCEVILLE, PEORIA COUNTY

CITIZEN, 1868: Established by G. T. Gillman, and continued six months. According to Rowell for 1869, J. W. Wolfe and H. Casson, Jr., were editors and publishers in 1869, when the paper was printed at the office of the Chillicothe *Citizen*.

TIMES, July–December, 1874: Established by C. A. Pratt and continued four months.

INDEPENDENT, March 10, 1877 to date: Of this paper and its successor, *Telephone*, the editorial genealogy is: J. E. Knapp, March–September, 1877; I. E. Corbett, then Corbett and H. E. Charles, October, 1877–1878; Corbett and P. C. Hull, October 1878–1879; J. E. Charles, publisher, P. C. Hull editor, October, 1879–——(?); J. S. Barnum, B. J. Beardsley, Beardsley Brothers, Addison A. Dart, Harry D. Fast, and K. C. Andrews, Addison A. Dart.

PROPHETSTOWN, WHITESIDE COUNTY

SPIKE, 1871–——(?): A. D. Hill was editor and publisher, 1871–1873; A. D. Hill editor, Hill and Wilson publishers, 1874; A. D. Hill, 1875–1877; C. G Glenn, 1880–1882; A. D. Hill, 1884; Mrs. S. M. Green, editor, H. P. and S. M. Green publishers, 1891; A. B. Case editor, Case and Ellison publishers, 1895. Republican, then neutral, then Republican.

QUINCY, ADAMS COUNTY

ILLINOIS BOUNTY LAND REGISTER, April 17, 1835–1839+: Established by C. M. Woods and Company. Afterward edited by Richard M. Young. Changed to AH

ARGUS, +1839–1841+: Edited by John H. Pettit. Changed to A

HERALD, +1841 to date: In 1851 P. Cleveland and Company were proprietors. Brooks and Cadogan were publishers in 1862; J. W Singleton and Austin Brooks in 1863. Austin Brooks was editor in 1869, and J. P. Cadogan, publisher. Cadogan and Gardner were publishers, 1875–1880. Daily and tri-weekly editions since 1849. Democratic in politics. Volume 4 was called *Herald: Adams, Brown and Schuyler County Advertiser*. As late as 1850 the name was *Herald and Argus*. **SAPHUF**

WHIG, May 5, 1838 to date: It was established with N. Bushnell and A. Johnston as editors and H. V. Sullivan as publisher. From August 18, 1838, to 1852, S. M. Bartlett was editor with Mr. Sullivan still publisher. It was edited by John F. Morton, 1852–——, and conducted under the firm name of Morton and Sullivan, 1852–1854; Morton and Young, 1854–1855; Morton, Ralston, and Company, 1855–1857. In 1858 the Quincy *Republican* was merged in the *Whig*, and the title became, and remained for several years, *Whig Republican;* the paper was then run by Mr. Morton and F. A. Dallam, the former proprietor of the *Republican*. In the fall of 1859 Mr. Morton became sole proprietor, and in the spring of 1860 he sold to James J. Langdon, who was connected with it until 1868, when it passed into the hands of Bailhache and Phillips with Paul Selby as editor, 1868–1869; John Tillson, 1869–1871. In 1871 Mr. Selby became editor again. Several changes occurred after this as to proprietors and editors until 1878, when C. A. and D. F. Wilcox became owners and publishers. In 1879 the firm name was Daniel Wilcox and Sons. From October 23, 1845, to April 16, 1846, the paper was issued tri-weekly. The first number of the daily appeared March 22, 1852, since which date there have been a daily and a weekly issue. It was a Whig organ until 1856, when it took an active part in forming, and became a representative of the Republican organization. There is a complete file in the *Whig* office. **APDSEF**

OLD STATESMAN, July 4–November, 1840: A Harrison campaign paper. **A**

BEOBACHTER, 1845(?)–——: Moved to Quincy from Belleville by Bartholomew Hauck. It was succeeded by

STERN DES WESTENS, April 10, 1846–December, 1848: Conducted by Bartholomew Hauck, who returned to Belleville in 1848 to establish the *Zeitung*.

DAILY MORNING COURIER, September 12, 1845–——(?): "In no way connected with politics." R. B. Wallace and George F. Wiehr were editors and proprietors. **H**

TRIBUNE AND FREE SOIL BANNER, September 13, 1848-- ——(?): A campaign paper advocating "free soil, free speech, free labor, and free men"; disclaiming affiliation with Whigs, Democrats, or Abolitionists, and supporting Van Buren and Charles Francis Adams. It was edited by an association consisting of Samuel Willard, Thomas Pope, Timothy Rogers, Allen Comstock, Lucius Kingman, and Charles B. Lawrence, and issued from the office of C. M. Woods.

WOCHENBLATT, January, 1850–1853+: Owned and edited by George Linz. German. Democratic. Changed to

ILLINOIS COURIER, +1853–1861: Conducted by George Linz until he entered the army at the beginning of the war. German, with Whig symyathies.

DAILY JOURNAL, 1851(?)– ——(?): A Democratic paper that was being published in 1851 by P. Cleveland and Company of the *Herald*.

TRIBUNE, 1852–1874+: Gustav Adolph Rösler was editor, 1852–1855; Edward C. Winter and William H. Pieper, 1855–1857. Pieper withdrew in 1857, and in 1858 Ernst Schierenberg acquired an interest and became editor. For a year after Rösler's death in 1855, the paper was known as the Quincy *Journal*, but was again changed back to *Tribune*. In 1861 Karl Rotteck bought the paper and, continuing the weekly as *Tribune*, changed the daily to *Union*. In 1865 Rotteck sold to Karl Petri, who in turn sold, December, 1866, to T. M. Rogers. In 1869, under Mr. Rogers as publisher, *Tribune* was a daily, issuing a weekly edition under the name of *Rural West and Weekly Journal*. In 1870, Louis Korth was editor. Rogers sold in the spring of 1874 to C. H. Henrici. In November, 1874, the *Tribune* was consolidated with *Westliche Presse* to form *Germania*. German daily and weekly published by a stock company which was organized in 1852, to publish a *Whig* paper. It became Republican in 1856. F

JOURNAL 1855– ——(?): For one or two years, under Edward C. Winter and William H. Pieper the *Tribune* was published under this name.

UNION, 1861–1865: The daily edition of the *Tribune* was published under this name while Karl Rotteck was proprietor.

RURAL WEST AND WEEKLY JOURNAL, 1869(?): A weekly edition of the *Tribune*, which was daily in 1869.

REPUBLICAN, January, 1857–1858: Published by F. A. Dallam. Daily. Joined to the *Illinois Courier* (see above).

DAILY DEMOCRAT, September, 1858–——(?): Edited by W. H. Carlin; published by Geiger, Gardner and White. Democratic in politics.

DAILY SKIRMISHER, October, 1864: A daily published for a short time in the interest of the western Illinois Sanitary Fair. **H**

DEMOKRAT, 1865(?)+(?): Established by George Linz upon his return from the war, and Robert Voeth. Later they changed the name to

VOLKSBLATT, +1866(?)–—— (?): Which was suspended after a year or two.

ERZ-DRUIDE, 1866–1880+: Official organ of the United Ancient Order of Druids. Karl Petri was editor. He sold in 1880 to Henry Freudenthal, of Albany, New York. Monthly. **L**

CHURCH REPORTER, 1867 to date (1869): In 1869 E. P. Balshe was editor and proprietor. Monthly.

EVENING JOURNAL, 1867–1870: T. M. Rogers, proprietor and manager. He and A. H. Lacy were editors in 1870. Independent in politics. Continued about four years.

WESTERN AGRICULTURIST, 1868–1889+: Established at Quincy. Edited and published by T. Butterworth until 1889, when an incorporated company, Western Agriculturist Company, became publishers. Changed to *Western Agriculturist and Live Stock Journal*, September, 1889. Later it was dated from Quincy and Chicago, and it is still published from both places. T. Butterworth is still editor. January, 1901, title changed to *Live Stock Journal*, with main office in Chicago. Monthly; later, weekly. **CUH**

EVENING CALL, 1870–1875: Thomas J. Heirs, John Russell, an S. D. Rich, were editors at various times.

GOOD TEMPLAR'S MESSAGE, 1871–1874+: J. K. Van Doorn, was editor, Good Templar Printing Company, publishers. A temperance paper issued at irregular intervals. Moved to Bloomington.

COMMERCIAL REVIEW, 1872 to date (1882): Established by Addison L. Langdon, who was still editor and publisher in 1882. Business and social. Independent in politics. **U**

GOSPEL ECHO AND CHRISTIAN, 1872–1873: A religious paper. J. H. Garrison was managing editor and publisher. After two years removed to St. Louis.

WESTLICHE PRESSE, August 11–November 7, 1874+: German. Published by a stock company with Karl Petri as business manager. United with the *Tribune*, November, 1874, to form the

TAGBLATT DER GERMANIA, +November 9. 1874 to date: Consolidation of *Westliche Presse* and *Tribune*. Published by Germania Publishing Company. Edited by George C. Hoffman, 1874–January, 1888; by Henry Bornman, January, 1888, to date. Denied having party affiliation, but supported Cleveland in 1884. German, daily and weekly.

DRUIDIC RECORD, 1876: Edited and published by the Druids Publishing Company. Monthly.

NEWS, 1877 to date (1884): News Company, editors and publishers. John L. Frost was editor and publisher in 1884. Daily. Independent. **H**

ENTERPRISE, 1878 to date: Established by H. H. Reckmeyer, who is the present editor and proprietor. Complete files are at the Public Library since its establishment in Quincy. **P**

POST, 1879 to date (1882): W. A. Post was editor and publisher. Greenback.

MODERN ARGO, March, 1879–——(?): Moved to Quincy in 1879 from Columbus, Ohio; published by A. H. Dooley; George N. Loomis, 1882; Aten and Musselman, 1884. Not political.

TIMES, (?): Established ay Austin Brooks after he left the *Herald*. After a year or two removed to Hannibal and soon discontinued.

LEDGER, ——(?)–——(?): Published by D. G. Williams as an advertising medium.

MORNING NEWS, ——(?)–——(?): Co-operative publication by Griffin Frost, Henry Wilson, John Shield, and James H. Wallin. Continued one month.

RANSOM, LA SALLE COUNTY

TIMES, 1875–1882: The Minonk *Blade* was printing in 1881 an edition for Ransom under this name. Republican.

RANTOUL, CHAMPAIGN COUNTY

NEWS, 1874–June, 1878+: Established and edited by Gray Brothers. After four months it was sold to Messrs. Bullock, Cross and Gifford. Issued in interests of the Havana, Rantoul and Eastern Railroad. In five months Messrs. Bullock and Cross purchased Gifford's share, and in 1875 Bullock became sole proprietor. Republican. In June. 1878, it was consolidated with the

JOURNAL, 1875–1878+: H. W. Gulick was proprietor, F. E. Pinkerton, editor. Represented views of those opposed to Havana, Rantoul and Eastern Railroad. In 1878 consolidated with the *News* to form the **U**

RANTOULIAN, +1878–1880+: H. E. Bullock and F. E. Pinkerton, editors and proprietors. In 1880 Pinkerton secured Bullock's interest and changed the name of the paper to

PRESS, +1880 to date: In 1893 O. L. Downey, who had bought half of Pinkerton's interest, leased the other half and continued publishing the paper under his name for one year, when Pinkerton again took control. In 1895 he sold to F. and R. Cross and C. B. E. Pinkerton. In 1900 Messrs. J. C. Weir and Fred Collison purchased the paper, and in the fall of 1901 J. L. Hardesty of Bloomington purchased a one-third interest and became manager. In January 1906, R. L. Conn purchased Hardesty's interest and remained as editor and manager until January, 1907, when he sold to A. O. McDowell. The present publishers are Weir and McDowell. Republican. Files destroyed by fire in 1901.

RARITAN, HENDERSON COUNTY

BULLETIN, 1876–1884: Established by Burner and Butler and was published by them until 1881, when it was sold to Bonham and McCormick. The latter sold his interest to F. M. Bonham in 1882. The plant was removed in August, 1884. Democratic.

NEWS, ——(?): Published irregularly for about two years by J. S. Nevins. Republican.

MECNOPHONE, 1879: Published by W. L. Henderson for about three months. Republican.

RAYMOND, MONTGOMERY COUNTY

REPORTER, 1877: Established by T. M. Smedley as a semi-monthly. Continued about six months. "Devoted to poetry, light literature, general and home news."

RED BUD, RANDOLPH COUNTY

EGYPTIAN, 1868: Established by John and William Brickey, in charge of Peter W. Baker. Short-lived.

————————, 1868: A German paper, established by John and William Brickey, and in charge of Anton Helmich. Short-lived.

COURIER, 1872: Established by Albert L. Krepps; died after three months.

COURIER, 1876: Edited by DeJournette and Brewer. Democratic. Suspended after sixteen numbers.

COURIER, 1877 to date: Edited and published by Everett H. Elliff. Democratic. In 1879 the office was leased to H. C. Hinckley for one year. In five months Mr. Elliff purchased the lease from Mr. Hinckley and moved the office to Columbia, Monroe county. The same day Mr. Hinckley bought the *Review* office and con-

tinued to publish the *Courier* until 1882. He then sold to Miss T. A. McDonough and her brother, T. J. McDonough, became editor. McDonough sold to John H. Lindsey, who leased to Sprigg and Lindsey. They turned the office over to William Armour in 1885, and he to Charles D. Wassell, who changed the name to *Torpedo*. After total destruction by cyclone, several changes in ownership, and a change of name to *Democrat*, and back to *Courier*, E. G. Matlack sold in 1899 to Guy Seeley. Seeley died in March, 1909, and the office was sold to Young and Parrott.

REVIEW, 1879: Established by William H. Toy. After a few months he closed the office and soon afterward sold to Mr. Hinckley as stated above.

RICHMOND, CLARK COUNTY

INDEX, 1879–to date (1882): Established by G. L. Watson. After two years sold to M. R. Bain, who changed its name to the *Pantagraph*. In 1881 it was bought by S. W. Zeller, then by his son, J. R. Zeller, who renamed it the *Visitor*. Later sold to Charles May, who was conducting it in 1882.

RICHMOND, McHENRY COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1876 to date: Started by B. B. Begun. In a few months George S. Utter became editor. July, 1876, Mr. Begun died. In 1879, S. F. Bennett and G. S. Utter were editors, G. S. Utter, publisher. The same year Mr. John E. Nethercut, of Rockford, purchased the paper. Holmes and Wright were editors and publishers in 1891–1895. Republican.

RICHVIEW, WASHINGTON COUNTY

PHOENIX, 1856–1858: Edited by M. L. McCord, who in 1858 removed his establishment to Centralia and published *Rural Press*.

MOUDY'S DEMOCRAT, 1871–1872: Established by J. D. Moudy, and published by him until his death in 1872. Democratic.

RIVERSIDE, COOK COUNTY

GAZETTE, May, 1871–(?): Conducted by Enos and Company. A suburban paper, published on the first Saturday of each month.

RIVERTON, SANGAMON COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1874– ——(?): Riverton Printing and Publishing Company were editors and publishers; J. W. Hunt was business manager.

NEWS, 1877: John J. Smith was editor and publisher. Independent.

ROANOKE, WOODFORD COUNTY.

NEWS, 1875 to date (1881): In 1879 M. L. Mock was editor and publisher. Issued from the office of the Minonk *Blade*.

ROBERTS, FORD COUNTY

ADVOCATE, 1874–1875: Edited and published by Thomas J. Horsley.

ROBINSON, CRAWFORD COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1857–1858: Established and edited by George W. Harper. Favored the Douglas wing of the Democratic party and was the first political paper issued in the county. Discontinued after six months. File lost by fire.

CRAWFORD COUNTY BULLETIN, July, 1860–1862: Established as a Democratic paper, edited by Horace P. Mumford. When the war broke out the paper strongly advocated the prosecution of the war for the preservation of the Union. Mumford went to war, leaving the paper in charge of his brother, W. D. Mumford, and N. T. Adams. The paper was discontinued in 1862. It was revived later for about six months by Charles Whaley.

MONITOR, 1862: Published for about six months by E. Logan. Independent.

CONSTITUTION, October, 1863 to date (1903): John Talbot bought the *Bulletin* equipment and conducted the *Constitution* as a Democratic paper. He was editor, except for a short time, till 1872, when his sons, Richard and Percy Talbot, assumed charge; Richard Talbot and Price, 1880–1885; J. H. Fulton, 1885–1887; Fulton and Hiser, 1887–1892; Price and Cole, 1892–1895; J. S. Abbott, 1895–1903; F. W. Lewis, 1903–——(?). Democratic. **H**

ARGUS, December, 1863 to date: Established by George W. Harper, who has been in control ever since, except for a brief interruption. Republican.

CRAWFORD DEMOCRAT, May–——(?), 1879: Ira Lutes conducted the *Democrat* for about six months (one year?), when he moved the equipment to Kansas.

ROCHELLE, OGLE COUNTY

REGISTER, 1863 to date: From 1863 until about 1889 Elbridge L. Otis was editor and publisher; H. C. Paddock till 1891; G. W. Dicus, 1891–May, 1907; E. I. Neff, May, 1907 to date. Republican. **U**

INDEPENDENT, 1872: Edward E. Richie was editor and publisher.

National Greenbacker, 1878 to date (1879): Norman Rapalee was editor and publisher. Discontinued after a few years.

Telephone, 1879 to date (1881): John M. King was editor and publisher. Greenback. Discontinued after a short time.

ROCK FALLS, WHITESIDE COUNTY

Progress, 1870–1877: Established by Messrs. W. H. Cadwell and W. H. Tuttle. Republican. **U**

Whiteside Times, 1876–1878: Moved from Morrison by A. J. Booth and Company. Previously the Morrison *Times* (which see).

ROCKFORD, WINNEBAGO COUNTY

Rock River Express, May, 1840–1841: The first newspaper published in the county. Edited by B. J. Gray. Its purpose was to promote the election of William Henry Harrison to the presidency. Its ambition satisfied, the paper was discontinued after an existence of one year, and the office moved away. **PE**

Star, Autumn of 1840–1841: A Democratic paper established by Philander Knappen. The office was destroyed by a mob because the editor denounced the lynching of the Driscolls in Ogle county. **P**

Pilot, July, 1841–October, 1842: Edited by John A. Brown. Democratic. Died from the want of support.

Better Covenant, January 6, 1842–1843+: Published by Rev. Seth Barnes and William Rounseville. Printed at the office of the *Pilot*. Moved to St. Charles, then to Chicago, where it was first published by Charles Stedman and edited by Mr. Barnes. Now the *Universalist*, Chicago.

Winnebago Forum, February, 1843–February, 1844+: Established by J. Ambrose Wight, who sold in August, 1843, to Austin Colton. At the beginning of the second volume Mr. Colton changed the paper to

Forum, +February, 1844–December, 1854+: Mr. Colton sold in December, 1854, to E. W. Blaisdell, Jr. The paper was changed to **APH**

Republican, +January, 1855–1862+: Edited by E. W. Blaisdell, Jr., 1855; Elija O. W. and Richard P. Blaisdell, 1855–1862. In 1862 it was merged into the **PF**

Register, February, 1855–January, 1891+: Established by Elias C. Daugherty as an opponent to the spread of slavery. June, July and August, 1859, there was a daily issue. June, 1865, the

Register absorbed the *Rock River Democrat* (which see). Mr. Daugherty retired and the paper passed into the hands of the Rockford Register Company, with Isaiah S. Hyatt and E. H. Griggs as principal and associate editors. Mr. Hyatt was followed, June, 1866, by E. C. Daugherty, editor to February, 1867. Abraham E. and William E. Smith became associated with Mr. Griggs in managing the *Register*. Upon their retirement, June, 1867, Mr. Griggs became editor and manager. He was still editor in 1869. In October, 1871, S. M. Daugherty, widow of the founder of the paper, became the owner and P. S. Martin, business manager. January, 1863, George E. Wright and Company began the *Daily Register*. He was followed by Charles J. Woodbury and Company. February, 1874, the daily was discontinued. In January, 1896, Mr. Wright was editor-in-chief. July, 1877, N. D. Wright and C. L. Miller were managing the paper. October, 1877, Messrs. Wright and Miller revived the *Daily Register*. In 1881 E. M. Botsford purchased an interest. W. P. Lamb subsequently became a partner. The firm of Miller, Botsford and Company continued in the management to January, 1891, when Edgar E. Bartlett, W. L. Eaton, and Eugene McSweeney purchased the *Daily Register* and *Daily Gazette* and consolidated them as the *Register-Gazette*, January, 1891 to date (1904). Bartlett, Eaton and McSweeney, 1891–1898; Bartlett and Eaton, 1898–1901; Bartlett, 1901; Bartlett and A. S. Leckie, autumn of 1901. Mr. Leckie was editor. Bartlett and Fred E. Sterling, 1903 to date. **APEF**

Free Press, September, 1848–1850: A free-soil Democratic paper, edited by Henry W. DePuy. **P**

Rock River Democrat, June, 1852–1865: Editors: Benjamin Holt; Mr. Holt and David T. Dickson; Mr. Dickson and Rhenodyne A. Bird from 1855 to May, 1864. Isaiah S. Hyatt then purchased the paper and published it to June, 1865, when the plant was sold to the Register Company. (See *Register*.) **F**

Spirit Advocate, April, 1854–March, 1856: Issued monthly. Advocated the doctrines of the Spiritualists. Managed by Dr. George Haskell. Consolidated with the *Orient* with headquarters at Waukegan. **P**

Cudgel, January, 1857–——(?): It bore this legend on its titlepage: "Published somewhere, circulated everywhere, edited nowhere." Published semi-monthly for seven numbers.

Wesleyan Seminary Reporter, October, 1857–January, 1858: Published by Rev. W. F. Stewart in the interest of the proposed Wesleyan Seminary. Monthly. Only four numbers.

DEMOCRATIC STANDARD, October, 1858–1860; Established by Springsteen and Parks, in support of Douglas Democracy. After one month, Henry Parks published the paper alone to February 1859, when David G. Croly became proprietor. In May, 1859, Croly and John H. Grove, as D. G. Croly and Company, became proprietors and publishers. After April, 1860, upon Mr. Croly's retiring, John H. Grove and James S. Ticknor published the paper for a few months, then sold to James E. and Joseph H. Fox (Fox, Rowe and Company?), who established the *Daily News*. (See second paper of this name below.)

DAILY NEWS, February, 1859–April, 1860: Founded by D. G. Croly and Company. Mrs. Croly was "Jenny June" and one of the editors. The paper was neutral. Suspended for want of patronage.

DAILY NEWS, December, 1860–1861: Established by James E. and Joseph Fox (Fox, Rowe and Company). (See *Democratic Standard*.) Republican. After a few weeks the publishers started the

WEEKLY NEWS, 1861: Messrs. Fox discontinued this paper September, 1861, and sold to E. C. Daugherty.

ROCK RIVER MIRROR, September, 1859 to after 1861: Established by Allen Gibson. Later proprietors were Allen Gibson and E. D. Marsh. Weekly until 1861, when it began to appear only as a monthly. Devoted to insurance matters. Neutral in politics. Printed at the office of the *Register*.

WESTERN MIRROR, 1861 to date (1869): In 1869, Allen Gibson was editor and publisher. Neutral. Probably a continuation of the *Rock River Mirror*.

CRESCENT AGE, 1859: Dr. George Haskell and H. P. Kimball were editors. Spiritualistic. Short-lived.

SANDEBUDET, July, 1862–November, 1864+: A Swedish Methodist paper established by Victor Wittig; after a year and a half he was succeeded as editor by Albert Ericson, who continued until November, 1864, when the paper was removed to Chicago.

PEOPLE'S PRESS, July, 1865–September, 1866: Established by W. P. Furey. From May to September, 1866, a stock company continued the publication which was then suspended for want of patronage.

GAZETTE, NOVEMBER, 1866–January, 1891+: Founded by I. S. Hyatt as an advertising sheet. April, 1867, Benjamin Foltz, became editor. August, 1867, Abraham E. and William E. Smith became proprietors. They were still so in 1879. In 1878 a semi-weekly edition, and August, 1879, a daily edition were started.

In 1882 Mr. Smith admitted Colonel F. A. Eastman as a partner. In 1883 Colonel Eastman retired and Mr. Smith continued as sole proprietor to January, 1891, when the paper was merged into the *Register-Gazette.*

WINNEBAGO CHIEF, November, 1866–July, 1867: Edited and owned by J. P. Irvine. In July, 1867, Hiram E. Enoch was admitted as a partner and the paper changed to

WINNEBAGO COUNTY CHIEF, July, 1867–1868+: In 1868, Irvine and Enoch were editors and publishers. Republican. Changed to

JOURNAL, +1868–March, 1888: Mr. Irvine retired, and Mr. Enoch was sole proprietor to December, 1882; Foote and Kimball, December, 1882–March, 1883; D. Miller and Company, March, 1883–March, 1886. Hon. J. Stanley Browne, was owner, August, 1887–March, 1888. Independent-Democratic. Sold to Rockford *Morning Star.*

WORDS FOR JESUS, October, 1867 to date (1869): Thomas J. and Hugh Lamont were editors and publishers. Religious monthly.

GOLDEN CENSER, May, 1868–April, 1898: Founded by John Lemley. November, 1877, the paper passed into the hands of a stock company. Under this management the circulation is said to have reached 18,000, the largest ever attained to by a Rockford paper. By August, 1896, the circulation was reduced to barely 2,000 and the paper was indefinitely suspended. Calvert Brothers revived the *Censer* March, 1897, with Charles A. Church as editor. April to June, 1898, C. A. Church was sole proprietor. Sold to *Ram's Horn*, Chicago, June, 1898. Semi-monthly in the beginning, later weekly. **EU**

DAILY JOURNAL, August, 1870: Started by Lumley and Carpenter. Lived two days.

ANDRUS' ILLUSTRATED MONTHLY, January, 1872–September, 1873: Established by D. A. K. and W. D. E. Andrus.

NYA SVERIGE, March, 1872–——(?): Established by A. W. Schalin. Swedish. Short-lived.

METHODIST FREE PRESS, September, 1872–January, 1875: Established by John Lemley.

ROCKFORD SEMINARY MAGAZINE, January, 1873–1891+: Caroline A. Potter was the first editor; later, the senior class edited the magazine. When the seminary was raised to the rank of college, 1891, the paper became the *Rockford Collegian.* Publication discontinued in 1895.

CURIOSITY HUNTER, September, 1873–July, 1874: Issued by D. A. K. Andrus until July, 1874. In 1876 it was revived at

Belvidere and continued at least until November, 1877. Monthly. File, September, October, December, 1872–July, 1874; October, 1876–March, 1877; April–September, November, 1877, in Western Reserve Hist. Soc., Cleveland, Ohio.

STAMP NEWS, 1873: One number issued by D. A. K. Andrus.

NOWADAYS, January, 1874: One number, issued by E. C. Chandler.

INDUSTRIAL TIMES, February, 1874+: W. F. Barrows, editor. The name was changed in a few months to **P**

HORNET, +1874+: The second volume began under the name of **P**

TIMES, +1875–February, 1876: John R. Coursen and Fred Dayton, proprietors. In August, 1875, Mr. Coursen sold to Louis A. Manlove. **P**

DAILY NEWS, January, 1878–October, 1880: Issued by D. A. K. Andrus, George W. Sherer, and F. O. Bennett. In June, 1878, the *Daily News* published a sensational account of a communist attack upon the government. When it was learned that the story had no foundation in fact, Mayor Watson ordered the office closed by the city marshal. After many changes the paper was suspended in October, 1880.

WESTERN BANNER, 1878 to date (1879): A temperance organ edited and published by F. Wilson, H. S. Wilbur, and J. S. Hampton. Printed in the office of the *Journal*.

SUNDAY HERALD, May–December, 1879: Established by E. C. Chandler.

CHRISTIAN GLEANER, ——(?)–1891(?): Published at the *Censer* office for some years. It was made up of selections from the *Censer*, with little original matter. Absorbed by the *Censer* about 1891. Monthly.

LEAVES FROM FOREST HILL, ——(?)–——(?): Published for some time during the school year by the young ladies of the Rockford Female Seminary.

FARMERS' MONTHLY, ——(?)–——(?): Started by A. E. Smith, and sold to Messrs. Bartlett, Eaton and McSweeney, who published it for several years.

ROCK ISLAND, ROCK ISLAND COUNTY

BANNER AND STEPHENSON GAZETTE, August, 1839–October, 1840: Edited by H. McGrere. This was the first paper published in Rock Island county. **PE**

UPPER MISSISSIPPIAN,[1] October, 1840–December, 1846: Edited by Daniel Crist, 1840–1844; H. G. Reynolds, 1844–1846. **PLE**

[1] See Stephenson.

NORTHWESTERN ADVERTISER, November, 1845–1847+: A Whig paper edited and published by Dr. Horatio P. Gotchell and Miles W. Conway. In May, 1846, William Vandener bought the paper. In about a year he sold to Sanders and Davis. They sold after a few months to Francis R. Bennett, who changed the name to P

ADVERTISER, +1847–1858: Edited by F. R. Bennett alone until 1851, when A. J. Brackett became publisher and associate editor. Thomas R. Raymond bought the paper in the fall of 1853. Raymond retired September 13, 1854, and Wharton was editor and publisher until the spring of 1858, when the paper was discontinued. A tri-weekly was begun on December 3, 1853, and a daily on September 13, 1855. **PF**

LIBERTY BANNER, May, 1846–(?): An Abolition paper for which a prospectus was issued in *Western Citizen* for April 29, 1846. It was to be edited by C. B. Waite.

REPUBLICAN, October, 1851-December, 1855: Edited by F. C. Nichols, 1851–1852; J. B. Danforth, 1852–1855. **PE**

ARGUS, 1851 to date: Established by J. B. Danforth. Danforth and Shurly were publishers in 1857. In 1869, J. B. Danforth, Jr., was editor, and Danforth and Jones were publishers. In 1879 the Argus Printing Company were editors and publishers. In 1907 J. W. Potter and Company were editors and publishers. Democratic in politics. A daily was begun in 1854. **PUF**

ROCK ISLANDER, September 19, 1854–September 16, 1857+: A Democratic paper established by E. J. Pershing. H. C. Connelly became joint editor and publisher on February 18, 1855. The paper was united with the *Argus* on September 6, 1857 and for a time the publication was called *Islander and Argus*. **PF**

AUGUSTANA, 1856 to date: Swedish, Lutheran. Established at Galesburg, Illinois, by Rev. T. N. Hasselquist, who was editor until 1889. In 1890 Rev. E. Norelius was editor; Rev. S. P. A. Lindahl and A. Rodell, 1891 to 1898; S. P. A. Lindahl and J. C. Bengston, 1900 to 1907. It was published by the Swedish Lutheran Publishing Company of Galesburg in 1856; Swedish Lutheran Press Association, Chicago, 1858 to 1873; Augustana Book Concern, Rock Island, 1909. The present editors are Rev. L. G. Abrahamson, D.D., and Rev. M. J. England, D.D. Complete file with Augustana Book Concern and in the historical collection at Augustana College.

BEOBACHTER AM MISSISSIPPI, 1857: Established by Magnus Mueller; edited by a poet-physician, Francesco Ciolino (Ciolina?). It was suspended after one year's existence. German.

DAILY COMMERCIAL, July 5, 1858–February 3, 1859: Edited and published by C. W. Kirkland. Republican. **P**

REGISTER, 1859–1862+: The editors were T. J. Pickett and C. W. Kirkland; M. S. Barnes and Mr. Kirkland; Messrs. Pickett and Barnes; Mr. Pickett and Alexander Lamertine. Issued triweekly. It was joined with the Moline *Independent* in 1862 to form the **P**

UNION, +1862 to date: In 1869 L. M. Havenstick was editor and publisher. In 1879 the Union Printing Company were editors and publishers and were still so in 1907. The paper is Republican, and has been both daily and weekly since its formation by the union of the *Register* and the Moline *Independent*. Files are in the office: daily July 5, 1855 to date; weekly, November 5, 1862–December 20, 1866. **PU**

DIE CHRONIK DES WESTENS, January, 1860–1863: Founded by Adam and George Lieberknecht. After several months Adam sold his interest to his brother George. The latter for a short time had Mr. Adam Schaaf as partner. The publication was suspended in the summer of 1863. German.

NEUE VOLKS–ZEITUNG, August, 1875 to date: Established as a semiweekly by Carl Winter, who conducted it to March, 1882. George S. Lechner bought the paper, March, 1882, and sold it in a few months to F. Protar, who published it to April, 1893. Rock Island-Moline Volks-Zeitung Publishing Company, April, 1893–July, 1897; John P. Kieffer, July, 1897–July, 1899: Gustav Donald, July, 1899–July, 1901; Val. J. Peter, July, 1901–1907. The *Volks-Zeitung* is dated also for Moline. Since April, 1909, the *Volks-Zeitung* is published by the Volks-Zeitung Publishing Company. P. A. Dornaun is editor and manager. **U**

SKOL–VÄNNEN, 1878–1880 or 1883: Published and edited by C. A. Swensson and J. H. Randall, in the interest of Augustana College. It was issued at irregular intervals. File in the historical collection at Augustana College.

UNGDOMS–VÄNNEN, 1879–1889: Published by the Augustana Tract Society, 1879, and by the Augustana Book Concern in 1884. In 1887 it was changed to a weekly and its name changed to *Hem-Vännen*. In 1889 the paper was consolidated with *Augustana*. Swedish Lutheran. Monthly. File in the historical collection at Augustana College and in library of Augustana Book Concern.

ROCK ISLANDER, January 5, 1878–December 31, 1892: A Democratic paper edited and published by J. B. Danforth. Only the name connects this paper with the earlier *Rock Islander*.

ROCK RUN

GAZETTE, 1870–1874(?): Dr. G. W. Snyder was editor, and J. Stewart, publisher. Printed at the office of the Lanark *Gazette*.

ROCK SPRING, ST. CLAIR COUNTY

PIONEER OF THE VALLEY OF THE MISSISSIPPI, April 25, 1829–June, 1836+: Established by John Mason Peck and T. P. Green to promote the Baptist cause in Illinois and Missouri and to benefit the Rock Spring Seminary. T. P. Green was publisher at the beginning, and J. M. Peck was editor. After about six months Green retired, and in June, 1830, Ashford Smith became publisher. The title seems to have been changed in 1831 to *Pioneer and Western Baptist*. The publication was removed to Alton in June, 1836, and called *Western Pioneer and Baptist Standard Bearer*. (See Alton.) **AHME**

WESTERN WATCHMAN, 1836: A paper said to have been published at this place by John Mason Peck and later removed to St. Louis. Improbable.

ROCKTON, WINNEBAGO COUNTY

GAZETTE, May 27, 1857–1858 (1859?): Established by Funk and Phelps. Mr. Funk retired and the paper was continued about one year by H. W. Phelps and wife. The office was moved away. **F**

HERALD, 1875 to date: Established by W. D. Mathews, who in 1876 sold to E. L. Carr, editor and publisher until after 1895. In 1907, C. J. Eddy. Republican.

ROCKWELL, LA SALLE COUNTY

NEWS, 1861(?): Listed, without details, in Kenny's *American Newspaper Directory* for 1861.

WESTERN EVANGELIST, 1861(?): Same listing as *News*.

ROODHOUSE, GREENE COUNTY

SIGNAL, 1871–1876: Edited by Henry Johnson, published by Charles Johnson. (Simply a reprint of the White Hall *Register* with the above title.)

HEADLIGHT, 1872–1874(?): Published by George B. Price and Son. Lived about two years. Reprint of Carrollton *Gazette*.

INDEPENDENT, 1875: Established by W. T. Lakin. Only a few numbers were published when he moved the press to White Hall, where he published the *Greene County Democrat*. The *Independent* was continued for a time, printed at White Hall and edited by James Smith.

REVIEW, 1877 to date (1881): An Independent paper established by W. T. McIver, seventeen years old, who was editor and publisher. In the second number appeared the name of Duncan C. McIver, father of W. T. McIver, who took the editorial work. In 1879 W. T. McIver withdrew; his father ran the paper alone until 1880, when he sold it to Frank M. Palmer. In nine months Mr. Palmer sold to John S. Harper, who changed the name to *Eagle*. After six months he sold the paper to Hiram H. Palmer, who changed it to *Journal*, a Democratic paper, In 1882 Mr. Palmer sold a half interest to W. J. Roberts, who in 1884 became sole propeietor. He removed the material to White Hall and consolidated it with White Hall *Register*. Ayer. 1881, states of the *Review* that it "prints editions under the names of *Eagle* and *Harper's Herald.*"

HARPER'S HERALD, 1878: Established by John S. Harper. After six months Mr. Harper sold to William H. Pogue and Morris R. Locke, who removed the material to Jerseyville and started the *Examiner*. Democratic.

ROSEVILLE, WARREN COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1876 to date (1881): Ayer, 1881, lists a paper of the same date and politics under the name *Gazette and Paper*. G. G. McCosh was editor and publisher. Neutral.

TIMES, 1876 to date (1881): A family paper. It was later united with the *Citizen*, the two becoming the Independent paper, *Times-Citizen*. This paper was published in 1907 by the Roseville Printing and Publishing Company.

WILSON'S WEEKLY, 1877: Published by Wilson Brothers. Neutral.

ROSSVILLE, VERMILLION COUNTY

OBSERVER, 1873–1877(?): Established by J. H. Moore, who was editor and publisher throughout the paper's existence. It existed about four years. Independent Greenback. U

ENTERPRISE, 1875 or 1876–October, 1877+: Established by John C. Cromer. Its advent had something to do with the discontinuance of the *Observer*. The *Enterprise* was moved to Homer, Champaign county, in October, 1877, and in 1907 was being published there by J. B. Martin.

PRESS, 1879 to date: Established by F. J. Pastor, who ran it until after 1891. Perry M. Warner, 1895. In 1907 Bert E. Pinkerton was editor and publisher. Independent-Republican.

RUSHVILLE, SCHUYLER COUNTY

JOURNAL AND MILITARY TRACT ADVERTISER, May, 1835–1836+: Published by G. W. Davis and R. W. Renfroe; edited by Abra-

ham Marshall. It was Independent in politics, favored railroad construction, and contained much Texas news. Within a year Mr. Davis retired, the paper passed into the hands of R. W. Renfroe, and the name was changed to

JOURNAL, +1836–May, 1837+: Neutral in politics. July 30, 1836, the *Journal* was sold to Adam (Adams?) Dunlap. May, 1837, Benjamin V. Teel purchased the paper and changed the name to

SCHUYLER ADVOCATE, +May 27, 1837–February, 1838+: Edited by J. B. Fulks. Changed to

TEST, +February–December 6, 1838: T. Lyle Dickey was editor and R. A. Glenn publisher. Published for eight months, with several interruptions (twenty-nine numbers in all). Whig in politics. **H**

ILLINOIS REPUBLICAN, December 14, 1839–April 9, 1840+: A. R. Sparks, the editor, continued the publication four months. He then sold to James L. Anderson, who changed the name to **AH**

POLITICAL EXAMINER, +April 9, 1840–October 1, 1843+: Edited by James L. Anderson. Changed to

WHIG, +October, 1843–1844: When Henry Clay was defeated as candidate for president, the *Whig* suspended publication.

PRAIRIE TELEGRAPH, July 3, 1848–May 24, 1856: Edited by Benjamin F. Scripps, published by Richard R. Randall, to November, 1849; Rev. John Scripps and son, J. Corrie Scripps, November, 1849–1856. On May 24, 1856, the paper was sold to a stock company and changed to **F**

TIMES, +May 24, 1856 to date: Published by a stock company of Democrats. DeWitt C. Johnston, editor, May, 1856–February, 1858: Addrew J. Ashton, February, 1858–May, 1860. A. D. Davis, the next editor, was followed in three years by J. C. Fox; E. A. Snively, 1866–July, 1868. At the latter date the paper was sold at sheriff's sale to Edwin Dyson, who assumed charge, and is still editor and publisher. The paper is Democratic. Bound volumes of the *Times* for 1856–1858, and since 1868 are in the office. **E**

SCHUYLER COUNTY DEMOCRAT, April 20, 1854–July 6, 1856: Organized by Democrats of the county and edited by Daniel E. H. Johnson. Published in 1855 as *Democrat and Brown County Advertiser*. Sold to George Washington Scripps in 1856, who used the material to publish a new paper, the

SCHUYLER CITIZEN, July 6, 1856 to date: Edited by G. W. Scripps. It was an Independent paper until 1858, when it espoused the cause of Lincoln in his historic senatorial campaign. Mr.

Scripps sold the paper in 1865, but it reverted to him in 1868. April, 1879, the *Citizen* passed into the hands of W. I. Larash, editor and proprietor until December 1, 1908, when he sold to Robbins Brothers. The *Daily Citizen* was started June, 1895. The daily is non-partisan, the weekly, Republican. Bound volumes for 1856, 1857, 1858 owned by John S. Bagby, Rushville. **U**

RECORD, ——(?)–——(?): A paper run by a Mr. Swan before 1872.

RUTLAND, LA SALLE COUNTY

HOME JOURNAL, 1865 to date (1879): A Republican paper printed at the office of the El Paso *Journal*.

TIMES, 1874–1878: In 1879 J. H. Brevoort was editor. The paper was being issued from the office of the Minonk *Blade*.

POST, 1878 to date (1881): A Republican paper. C. W. Blandin, editor in 1880. In 1881 it was being issued from the office of the Minonk *Blade*.

ST. ANNE, KANKAKEE COUNTY

GRANGER, 1873–1874: Published by Edward Pazo.

ST. CHARLES, KANE COUNTY

PATRIOT, 1841–1842+: Edited by John Thomas. Office was burned before the third issue. Another outfit was procured by Ira Minard, and the paper revived under the complex title of St. Charles

PATRIOT, FOX RIVER ADVOCATE AND KANE COUNTY HERALD, +About 1843+: Waite succeeded Thomas and changed the name to

FOX RIVER ADVOCATE, +1843–1845: Edited by Dr. Daniel D. Waite. In 1845 Waite sold out.

THE AGE, June, 1843–——(?): A Whig paper edited by Robert I. Thomas and published by R. and A. Thomas. **AF**

PRAIRIE MESSENGER, 1846–1847: Edited by Smith and Kelsey, then by Smith and Sears. It passed into the hands of Messrs. Wilson and Cockraft and was merged with the *Western Mercury*, Geneva. **W**

BETTER COVENANT, +1842–1843+: Edited by Rev. Seth Barnes, assisted by Rev. William Rounseville. Established at Rockford; soon moved to Chicago; now the *Universalist*. **H**

PEOPLE'S PLATFORM, 1849+: Established by Isaac Marlett in Aurora; removed to St. Charles in 1849. Democratic. The name was soon changed to

DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM, +1849–1850+: S. S. Jones purchased Marlett's interests in 1850, and changed the name to

KANE COUNTY DEMOCRAT, +1850–1855: Published by S. S. Jones and George C. Hubbard. The number issued on September 25, 1850, is in the Gail Borden Public Library at Elgin, Illinois. In 1855 the office was moved to Elgin, and in the same year to Batavia. **F**

WEEKLY ARGUS, +1857– ——+(?): Begun previously at Batavia; removed to St. Charles in 1857. Published by Stitt and Matteson. Later changed to **F**

ST. CHARLES ARGUS, +——(?) – 1861: Purchased by R. N. Botsford and Ed. Furnald. In 1858 Mr. Botsford became sole owner, and after the November election that year sold out to John J. Moulding and a Mr. Horton. The *Argus* was finally merged into the

FOX RIVER INDEPENDENT, 1861–1862: Established by John J. Moulding.

OBSERVER, 1858: Established by Rev. William Rounseville. Short-lived.

TRANSCRIPT, 1871–1873+: Established by S. L. Taylor. After four months he sold out to D. W. Tyrrell and Charles Archer; they, in 1873, sold to Frank McMaster and Hiram N. Wheeler; Wheeler was editor. Democratic. Printed at the office of the Geneva *Kane County Republican*. In the fall of 1873 the name was changed to

NORTHERN GRANGER, +1873–1874+: The title indicates the paper's politics. In 1874 the name was changed to

LEADER, +1874–1878+: In 1878 it was removed to Elgin and continued as the Elgin *Leader*. Democratic.

INDEPENDENT, 1874: Established by D. W. Tyrrell. Continued but a few months.

QUIVERING LEAF, 1877: Published by Rev. D. Matlack. Short-lived.

REVIEW, 1878–1880: Established by D. L. Zabriskie and John F. Dewey. Later published by Mr. Dewey alone. It continued nearly two years, when it was sold to the Elgin *Advocate*, and its publication ceased.

ST. ELMO, FAYETTE COUNTY

NEWS, 1875 to date (1880?): Established by Johnson and Ranney; sold to C. M. King. Neutral in politics. Printed at the office of the Altamont *Telegram*.

SALEM, MARION COUNTY

WEEKLY ADVOCATE, 1851–1875+: A Democratic paper, edited and published by John W. and John H. Merritt, until 1856, when it

was sold to H. S. Blanchard and removed to Centralia. In 1858 it was re-established in Salem by Edward L., Joseph D., and J. W. Merritt, with John W. Merritt as editor, and Edward L. Merritt as associate editor. In 1860 Richard F. Long became a partner. In 1865 Louis V. Taft bought the paper and became editor and proprietor. In 1875 he changed it to

SEMI-WEEKLY ADVOCATE, +1875–1876: Lived but a short time, and was discontinued. U

AMERICAN EAGLE, 1852–1853: Published and edited by Thomas F. Houtz. Whig.

SPECTATOR, 1856+: A Republican campaign paper published by James S. Coulter. It passed into the hands of E. C. Devore, who changed the name to

REGISTER, +1856–1858: Edited by E. C. Devore. Sold to Joseph M. Prior who changed the name to

INDEPENDENT, April–December, 1858: Edited by Joseph M. Prior.

MARION COUNTY HERALD, 1860: Established by J. M. Prior and F. S. Murphy. Only three numbers were published. Republican.

LOYALIST, 1864– 1865: Brought from Mason, Effingham county, in 1864 by George L. Brewster, editor and proprietor. It had continued a little over a year when Brewster died. The office was closed until late in 1865, when W. P. Hartley established the

NORTHWESTERN BAPTIST, 1865–1866: Mr. Hartley was assisted by T. Charles Fulks. The paper lasted seven months.

MARION COUNTY REPUBLICAN, 1867 (1865?)–1870: Edited by T. C. Fulks and Peter M. Johns. Fulks soon retired in five months, when the office passed over to John A. Wall. From him it passed to I. S. Hitchcock, who continued the paper until 1870.

ANTI-MONOPOLIST, October, 1873: Established by D. D. Moore. Short-lived.

INDUSTRIAL ADVOCATE, 1874–1880+: Established by M. G. Beviall with Dr. J. W. Cope as editor. Cope left the office and established the *Industrial* (which see). Beviall died soon thereafter and his widow continued the paper until L. V. Taft assumed charge of it. In 1880 he resigned. Mrs. Beviall published the paper for one month and then sold it to Messrs. Merritt and Pyles, publishers and editors of the *Herald*, who in November, 1880, consolidated the two as *Herald-Advocate*. This paper is still published, with C. E. Hull as editor, and the Herald Publishing Company as publishers. It has always been Democratic.

INDUSTRIAL, 1874–1879+: Established by Dr. J. D. Cope. Sold to C. J. Willmans, who made it Republican. It passed from Willmans to Mr. Evarts, later to W. L. Arnold, when it was moved, in 1879, to Kinmundy. From there, after twenty-six issues, it was moved back to Salem, where Arnold continued it as U

MARION COUNTY REPUBLICAN, +October, 1879, to date: W. L. Arnold was the editor until January, 1881, when W. R. Burton took charge. July, 1881, T. C. Fulks and W. R. Burton purchased the paper of Mr. Arnold. In 1907 J. C. Utterback was editor and publisher. Republican.

MARION COUNTY HERALD, 1876–1880+: Established by T. B. Pyles and John H. Merritt. November 19, 1880, Merritt and Pyles purchased the *Industrial Advocate* and formed the *Herald-Advocate*, under which name it is still published. A Democratic paper.

WEEKLY TIMES, December, 1878: Edited and published by J. T. Long and Company. It had a brief existence.

SANDOVAL, MARION COUNTY

PRAIRIE FARMER, 1861(?): Listed, without details, in Kenny's *American Newspaper Directory* for 1861.

NEWS, 1861 (?): Same listing as *Prairie Farmer.*

SANDWICH, DeKALB COUNTY

PEOPLE'S PRESS, 1857–six months: Edited by W. L. Dempster. Independent on all subjects. F

PRAIRIE HOME AND ADVERTISER, 1859–short-lived: Edited by Mattison and Higbee.

NEWS, 1860(?): Edited and published by James M. Higbee. Bimonthly.

GAZETTE, 1865–1889: Established by James M. Higbee, who soon associated James H. Sedgwick with him. Sedgwick sold to James H. Furman in 1866, who became sole proprietor in 1868. He sold to G. H. Robertson in 1874. Changed from weekly to semi-weekly in 1877; resumed weekly publication in 1883. Discontinued in 1889. A Republican paper. U

FREE PRESS, 1873 to date: Established by H. F. Bloodgood. C. B. Taylor bought the paper in 1882, and Barnes and Douglas in 1883. It is now (1907) edited and published by Frank D. Lowman. The paper was Independent in 1881; Republican in 1907. U

ARGUS, 1878 to date: Established by M. B. Castle and Son (John B. Castle), who continued the paper together until the death of the former in 1900. Since that date John B. Castle has continued editor and proprietor. In 1881 the paper was Independent; in 1907, Republican. Complete bound files are in the office of the paper.

SAVANNA, CARROLL COUNTY

REGISTER, 1853: Published by Charles Allen; edited by Smith D. Atkins (see Freeport). After a few months the owners sold the paper to a Mr. Grattan, who removed the plant elsewhere. **F**

TIMES, 1875 to date: Established by J. William Mastin, and for ten weeks printed at the office of the *Shannon Gazette* (which see). The first issue printed in Savanna was that of September 11, at which time the equipment of the Shannon *Gazette* was moved to Savanna. Simon Greenleaf and Mastin were the publishers until March, 1876, when Greenleaf bought Mastin's share in the paper and became editor and proprietor. He was still so in 1879. In 1895 a daily edition was started, which has continued to date. In 1907 L. W. Fraser was editor; W. W. Gillespie, publisher. The paper has always been Republican. **U**

SAYBROOK, McLEAN COUNTY

NEWS, 1872–1873: Established by J. S. Harper. After about one year Mr. Harper went to Farmer City and the *News* was discontinued.

BANNER, December, 1872–1873+: Established by H. H. Parkinson. With the assistance of O. C. Sabin and Mr. Van Voris, he published the paper for one year. Then he sold to Mr. Sabin, who changed the name to

MCLEAN COUNTY ANTI-MONOPOLIST, +1873–January, 1874: Mr. Sabin made the paper an advocate of the farmers' movement. In January, 1874, he removed the paper to Bloomington. After continuing its publication for one year, he sold it to Mr. Goff.

HERALD, October, 1875 to date (1882): An Independent paper, established by T. J. Horsley. He still was editor and publisher in 1879; H. W. Rodman in 1882.

SUNBEAM, May, 1879–——(?): W. H. Schureman was manager; O. C. Sabin, editor. Published under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. "Its peculiar field was literature and the cause of temperance, religion, intelligence and morality."

SCOTTSVILLE, MACOUPIN COUNTY

UNION, 1874: Lakin and Palmer were editors and publishers. Printed at the office of the Waverly *Times*.

SECOR, WOODFORD COUNTY

HOME JOURNAL, 1879(?): An edition of the El Paso *Journal*. Independent in politics.

SENECA, LA SALLE COUNTY

RECORD, 1878 to date: Established by A. J. Lukins. In March, 1879, the office was burned, and publication suspended for two weeks. In 1880 J. H. and Sam D. Chatterton assumed control. Sam D. Chatterton bought his partner's interest in 1881. In September, 1882, Leacock and Wickham became editors and proprietors. From July, 1883, to October, 1884, Wickham conducted the paper alone. George B. Youmans and W. D. Lindsay, October, 1884–1885; H. E. Wickham, editor for a time in 1885; J. B. Hayes, June–August, 1885; W. D. Lindsay and George B. Youmans, August, 1885–——(?) In 1901 the *Record* was consolidated with the *News*, which had been established in 1892. As the *Record and News*, the paper is now edited and published by Terry Simmons. Independent in politics. Later files are owned by Mr. Simmons.

SHABBONA, DEKALB COUNTY

EXPRESS, May, 1876, to date: Established by H. F. Bloodgood and Mr Hunt. In October, 1876, Hunt sold his interest to W. H. Ray. Bloodgood and Ray were editors and publishers to March, 1878. Since that date, W. H. Ray has been sole proprietor and editor. In 1879 the paper was printed at the office of the Sandwich *Free Press*. The *Express* has always been a Republican paper. Files, except for the first few years, are kept in the office. A part of the edition is printed as the *Gazette*, Lee (DeKalb county).

RECORD, March–December, 1878: Established by J. M. Bean. It was suspended after an existence of about nine months.

SHANNON, CARROLL COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1864–after 1875: Established by John Howlett, still editor and publisher in 1868. In 1870–1874 Jethro Mastin was editor and publisher; Mastin and Sanford in 1875. Printed at the office of the Lanark *Carroll County Gazette*. A Republican paper.

EXPRESS, 1879 to date (1895): A. W. Erwin was editor and publisher until after 1882; W. B. Bachtelle, 1884; W. H. Barnes, 1891; J. M. Bahm, 1895. At first Republican, Independent after 1891.

SHAWNEETOWN, GALLATIN COUNTY

SHAWNEE CHIEF,[1] October 17–November (?), 1818+: Established by Henry Eddy and Singleton H. Kimmel. In a short time the name was changed to

ILLINOIS EMIGRANT, +(before December 26, 1818)–September 18, 1819+: Published by Eddy and Kimmel and edited by Eddy. This, the second paper in Illinois, was a four-page, four-column sheet, well printed in the early years. In the issue for April 3, 1819, is a criticism of Governor Bond for signing the law establishing a state bank, and for becoming president of it. The last issue was vol. 1, no. 54, September 18, 1819. With the next number the name was changed to **AE**

ILLINOIS GAZETTE, +September 25, 1819–1830(?): The paper was continued by Eddy and Kimmel until May 22, 1820, when the partnership was dissolved and James Hall took the place of Kimmel as partner in the publishing, and as editor. This arrangement continued until November 16, 1822, when Hall withdrew; with the number for November 23 C. Jones became publisher and Henry Eddy editor and proprietor. Eddy sold a half interest to John Foliart, who became publisher, with Eddy, as John Foliart and Company, on February 11, 1826. They sold October 18, 1828, to Alexander F. Grant, who conducted the paper alone until November 8, then, with Thomas Palmer, as Alex F. Grant and Company until November 20, 1830; then Grant alone became publisher. The last number in the Library of Congress is vol. 10, no. 30, December 18, 1830, and is probably near the end of the paper's career. Under Eddy and Kimmel the *Gazette* was alive and fairly vigorous. Hall made it perhaps the best edited paper in the state, with the possible exception of the Edwardsville *Spectator*. He preserved a neutral position in politics for some time, and at all times kept the columns open to discussion. But after he became familiar with state politics the political tone was vigorous.[2] Hall gave the paper a very unusual literary tone. Under subsequent editors its qualities deteriorated to insignificance. **MSAE**

GALLATIN DEMOCRAT AND ILLINOIS ADVERTISER, October–December, 1835: Established by McClernand and Stickney. Democratic. McClernand withdrew at the end of the year, and the paper was continued as Danville

[1] The title *Shawnee Chief* is used here solely on the word of previous writers. In the notice of dissolution of partnership between Eddy and Kimmel, mention is made of debtors to *Illinois Emigrant* and *Illinois Gazette*, but not to *Shawnee Chief*. I have found no reference to that name in early Missouri or Indiana papers in the Library of Congress. — F. W. S.

[2] For further particulars of this paper's editorial policy see the Introduction.

ILLINOIS ADVERTISER, +January, 1836–November 4, 1837: Edited and published by William H. Stickney as a radically Democratic paper. Stickney discontinued the paper November 4, 1837, and sold the plant to John S. McCracken, who, after a few weeks, started **A**

WESTERN VOICE AND INTERNAL IMPROVEMENT JOURNAL, December, 1837–1839+: A Democratic paper that had reached no. 48 on December 29, 1838. Early in 1839 it was changed to **A**

INTELLIGENCER, +1839–——(?): Edited and published by W. H. McCracken and Company.

ILLINOIS REPUBLICAN, February, 1841–1843(?): Edited and published by Samuel D. Marshall until March 25, 1843, then by H. H. M. Butt and J. W. Connell. Supported McClernand for senator in 1842 against Douglas, Breese, Reynolds, and Young. It was still being published in June, 1843. **AH**

ILLINOIS STATE GAZETTE, 1843–1847(?): Established by W. D. Latshaw and J. S. Roberts. Listed in *Illinois Annual Register* for 1847 as a Democratic paper published by J. S. and E. W. Roberts. (See *Jackson Standard*, 205.) **F**

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS ADVOCATE, 1848–1849: Edited and published for a few months by L. Jay S. Turney, a lawyer. The only copy available does not reveal the politics of the paper; it stood, however, for "universal liberty abroad, and an ocean bound republic at home!!!" **U**

SOUTHERN ILLINOISAN, 1852–1860: Started by W. Edwards and Son as a Democratic paper. It supported Bissell, the Republican candidate for governor, and Buchanan for president. It revolted at the time of Douglas's Kansas-Nebraska bill. After Buchanan's election it became strongly Republican.

MERCURY, 1860–1873[1]: Published and edited by D. W. Lusk as late as 1873. A Republican paper.

GAZETTE, 1871–1875: Established by Joel G. Morgan and conducted by him till it was discontinued. At first both daily and weekly, the weekly called *Gallatin Gazette;* the daily was soon discontinued.

HOME NEWS, 1873+: Established by Conrad O. Edwards. Changed to

SHAWNEE NEWS, +1873 to date: A Republican paper, edited and published by Riblett and Edwards, then by J. W. Riblett; John M. Hogg, 1877–1880; Tromly Brothers, 1882; L. F. Tromly,

[1] The account of Hamilton county papers (p. 300 Goodspeed), says "In December 1870, John Coker purchased the Shawneetown *Mercury*, and moved the material to McLeansboro to start the *Golden Era*."

1884–1895+. After 1895 the paper became *News-Gleaner*. In 1907 the *News-Gleaner* was being edited and published by A. T. Spivey, and it was still Republican.

SHAWNEE HERALD, February 11, 1876–1879: Established by Francis M. Pickett. Jacob Harding was editor and publisher in 1879; Frank Winterberger in 1880. A Democratic paper.

LOCAL RECORD, December, 1877, to date: A Democratic paper, established and still conducted in 1887 by Conrad O. Edwards. It is listed in Rowell, 1879, as Independent in politics. In Ayer, 1907, it is given as a local paper, edited by Essie and Allie Edwards, published by Edwards and Edwards.

SHELBYVILLE, SHELBY COUNTY

PRAIRIE FLOWER, 1840–1842: Edited by Joseph C. Duncan and James Shoaff. It was in the nature of a newspaper and literary magazine combined, published monthly. Issued from the office of the *Okaw*.

OKAW, 1840–1845: Edited by W. W. Bishop. Its publication was irregular.

SHELBY BANNER, July, 1852–1858+: It first advocated Democracy, then became Independent. Edited by D. M. Cantrill and William A. Cochran, 1852, for a few months. Cochran was a warm supporter of Franklin Pierce as candidate for president. Cantrill was sole editor after Cochran's withdrawal, until the office was closed in 1853. In 1854 Theophilus Short and Short and Spears conducted the paper for a few months. P. L. Shutt followed them, 1855, and changed the paper from Democratic to Independent. September, 1858, John W. Johnson took possession and changed the paper to the F

OKAW PATRIOT, +1858–1863: The paper was edited by John W. Johnson, September, 1858–February, 1860; Judge Anthony Thornton, February, 1860. The *Banner* (see below) had just been started by P. L. Shutt. Thornton and Shutt consolidated the two papers, under the name of

OKAW DEMOCRAT +1860–1863+: Thornton acted as editor, Shutt as manager. Thornton retired within the year and Shutt continued to 1863. Upon his suspending publication, a joint stock company of Democrats was formed to continue the paper as the

SHELBY COUNTY LEADER, +September, 1863–1865+: It was started by a joint stock company, managed by W. A. Trower, and edited by H. H. Coolidge, September–December, 1863. In December, 1863, bought by W. A. Trower, and sold to 1865 in Rufus Sumerlin. Democratic. Soon after George R. Wendling bought a half interest, and changed the name to

CENTRAL ILLINOIS TIMES, +1866–1868+: The editor was George R. Wendling. He sold his half interest in 1867 to Lloyd B. Stephenson and W. W. Hess; in October, 1867, Dr. E. E. Waggoner became Sumerlin's partner. In 1868 Rufus Sumerlin assumed sole charge and again named it the

SHELBY COUNTY LEADER, +1868 to date: Edited by Rufus Sumerlin and his three sons, Leon, Dolph, and Eugene. Bought by W. A. Trower in March, 1871. In January, 1873, a half interest was sold to W. B. Marshutz, who sold back to W. A. Trower in 1875. Owned and edited by Vallee Harold in 1895–fall of 1898; George V. Mechler to February, 1890, and from 1890 to date, owned and edited by T. B. Shoaff. Democratic.

BANNER, 1860: Started by P. L. Shutt, and consolidated with the *Okaw Patriot* (see above).

SHELBY COUNTY FREEMAN, 1860–1861: Published by Eli Chittenden in the interest of the Republican party. Discontinued in 1861 and later resurrected as the

SHELBY COUNTY UNION, 1863 to date: Established at the suggestion of Judge Samuel W. Moulton and W. J. Henry to espouse the cause of the Union. Edited by J. W. Johnson, 1863–1864; owned by J. W. Johnson and John A. Young, 1864–1865; by Richard Couch in 1865; by Richard Couch and Park T. Martin in 1867; exclusively by Park T. Martin, 1867–1871; jointly by Park T. Martin and Elgin H. Martin, 1871–1872; by Park T., Elgin H., and Horace L. Martin, 1872–1873; by Elgin H. and Horace L. Martin in 1873; by Horace L. Martin, 1874 to 1903, who established a daily of the same name in 1887, and had for editors successively, Elgin H. Martin, Harry M. Martin and James Darby. Owned by Hon. Walter C. Headen, William H. Beem, Harry M. Martin, and George B. Rhoads; edited by William Ritchie, 1903–1905; William Taylor and Orville Storm, 1905–1906(?). In 1907 Fred A. Richey was editor; Union Publishing Company, publishers. The daily edition is Independent, the weekly Republican.

COMMERCIAL, 1868: Published for a short time by J. William Lloyd and George R. Wendling as a trade paper.

SHELBY COUNTY INDEPENDENT, 1874–1876: Established by Dr. E. E. Waggoner and J. William Lloyd as an Independent organ, but it was virtually Democratic from the first. Dr. E. E. Waggoner was sole owner and editor from 1875, and in 1876 changed it to the

DEMOCRAT, 1876 to date: Edited by Dr. E. E. Waggoner, 1876–1885; owned by Thomas J. and George R. Graybill, 1885–1887. In 1887 G. Wilbur Cook entered the firm which was known as

Graybill Brothers and Company, with George R. Graybill as editor, 1887–1902. Owned since 1902 by G. Wilbur Cook and Isaac S. Storm, and edited by the latter. The Democrat Company are publishers.

APIARY, 1878–1880: Owned by E. Homrighous and J. W. Johnson and edited by the latter. A monthly paper on bees and their care and propagation.

GREENBACK HERALD, 1879–1884: Established on the material of the Windsor *Sentinel*. Edited by Tom Stuart and G. W. Cook, 1879–1880, and supported the Greenback party. Edited by Milton A. Bates in 1880; by Charles Reeve later; after him by Elder Linn and later by Mr. Eton. It was variously listed as *National Greenback Herald*, *Greenback Herald*, and *Herald*.

CHURCH AND HOME, 1879–1880+: A Unitarian weekly owned and edited by Rev. Jasper L. Douthit. Name soon changed to *Our Best Words*, 1880–1892, a weekly Prohibition paper of varying fortunes. It was sold in 1892 to J. S. Barnum, who changed it to the *People's Paper*. This was edited by J. S. Barnum and Frank K. Pennington as a Populistic organ. It was discontinued in 1894. The same year, Rev. Jasper L. Douthit bought back the name only of *Our Best Words* from Barnum and Pennington, and continued the paper as a monthly, in the interests of Unitarianism and Prohibition. Jasper L. Douthit is the present owner and editor.

ILLUSTRATED BAPTIST, 1879 to date (1881): Phillips and Hughes were editors and publishers. A monthly paper.

SHELDON, IROQUOIS COUNTY

COURIER, March– ——(?), 1871: Published from a press in Kentland, Indiana, for a few months, by J. B. Spotswood and E. A. Burns. The *Courier* was Independent in politics.

ENTERPRISE, December, 1874 to date (1880): Established by H. R. Fields and H. L. Henry. After February, 1877, it was under the management of D. J. Eastburn, who was still editor and proprietor in 1880. The *Enterprise* was Independent in politics. U

JOURNAL, 1879 to date: J. W. Sargent, editor, J. R. Fox, publisher, 1882; J. R. Fox, 1884; J. W. Sargeant, 1891; C. W. Stickney in 1895. In 1881 it was a semi-weekly paper; in 1907, a weekly. W. H. Overhue was editor and publisher in 1907. Republican.

SHERIDAN, LA SALLE COUNTY

NEWS LETTER, 1871–1880: Established by J. L. Seward, and conducted by him until 1873. A. V. Whitney became editor and

publisher in 1873–1876; C. E. and C. A. Whitney were publishers in 1877. In 1879–1880 A. V. Whitney was editor and publisher. For awhile it had the name of

TEMPERANCE UNION, 1873–1874: Edited and published by A. V. Whitney.

SHIPMAN, MACOUPIN COUNTY

PROGRESS, December, 1868–September, 1869: Edited and managed by W. E. Milton.

TRUE FLAG, September, 1874–October, 1875: Parker and Waldron, editors and proprietors. Independent. Consolidated with the Brighton *Advance*.

SOMONAUK, DEKALB COUNTY

FREE PRESS, 1873–1875: H. F. Bloodgood was editor and publisher. Issued from the office of the Sandwich *Free Press*.

REVEILLE, 1875 to date: C. Abe West was editor and proprietor to 1880; S. D. Newton, 1880–1889; C. B. Phillips, 1889–1892; Charles W. Faltz, editor and publisher to date. An Independent paper. U

SOUTH CHICAGO, COOK COUNTY

EAGLE, 1871: Established by H. L. Goodall. Printed at the office of the Chicago *Sun*.

SPARLAND, MARSHALL COUNTY

CHRONICLE, 1868 to date (1891): Established as a neutral paper by Spencer Ellsworth, editor and publisher. In 1879 and to date, a Republican paper. S. M. Tesmer was editor and the Chronicle Publishing Company, publishers, in 1879–1884+: Mrs. L. S. Tesmer, editor; Spencer Ellsworth, publisher in 1891.

UNION, 1870–1871: Established by William Trench. In the next year it was edited and published by Bell and Wilson, who were printing it at the office of the Lacon *Statesman*.

SPARTA, RANDOLPH COUNTY

COLUMBUS HERALD, 1839–1840+: Edited by James Morrow. Neutral as to politics. Changed to

HERALD, +January–June 1840+: Edited by J. E. Dietrich. Democratic. Changed to

DEMOCRAT, +1840–1843: Mr. Dietrich was still editor. Favored Van Buren for president. In 1844, the office was leased to O. F. McMillan, who began the U

RANDOLPH COUNTY RECORD, May 28, 1844–June, 1846: Edited by O. F. McMillan. Because of politics it was moved to Chester, where it was published as the *Reveille*. It supported Polk for the presidency.

PRAIRIE DEMOCRAT, 1848–1851+: A campaign paper edited by J. R. Shannon, 1848–1851. It advocated the election of Lewis Cass. In 1851 C. P. Johnson leased the office and changed the name to

INDEPENDENT, +1851–1854: Suspended after the campaign in 1852. Revived by S. A. Armour, who later leased to Parsons Pery. After two years he was succeeded by J. W. Fletcher. Soon afterward the office was removed to Chester.

FREEMAN,[1] March 21, 1850+: Anti-slavery; edited by James N. Coleman. In 1850 he was succeeded by James S. Coulter, who changed the name to **F**

JOURNAL, +1850–1852: Edited by J. S. Coulter, who was succeeded, in 1852, by Mrs. Gintileus. Suspended shortly after.

REGISTER, February, 1849–——(?): Established by J. E. Detrich and J. R. Shannon. Apparently Democratic. **F**

RANDOLPH COUNTY JOURNAL, 1856–——(?): Established by J. W. Fletcher[2] and H. A. McKelvey; McKelvey was editor. Republican. **F**

STAR OF THE WEST, 1862–1866+: Started by W. J. Armour, in 1866 (1865?) sold to General J. Blackburn Jones, who changed the name to

RANDOLPH PLAINDEALER, +1866 to date: Published by Jones until 1868 when he sold to Thomas M. Nichol. In 1869 J. D. Watson purchased an interest. In 1870 the paper was sold to Messrs. Kimball and Taylor, who placed Edward Fagin in charge as editor and manager. In 1872 he was succeeded by Fred L. Alles. In 1873 Alles purchased the paper and on the same day sold it to S. L. Taylor. In one month Albert Goddard became associated with Mr. Taylor. He retired in 1874 and was succeeded by W. B. Taylor, who published the paper with his brother, S. Lovejoy Taylor, until 1881, the latter continuing as editor to that date, when they sold to Messrs. George Campbell and Don E. Dietrich. In four months Charles Campbell purchased Dietrich's interest, and the Campbell Brothers con-

[1] Harris, *Negro Servitude in Illinois*, 184, says that the *Freeman* was begun in January, 1850.

[2] It seems probable that this paper had been discontinued before 1860, for on April 3, of that year Horace Greeley addressed to "Friend Fletcher," then about to start a paper at Sparta, his well-known letter of advice to a country editor. Perhaps Greeley's advice discouraged Fletcher; at any rate I have not found that he started a paper in 1860.—F. W. S.

tinued publication. In 1907 S. Lovejoy Taylor was editor; Taylor Brothers, publishers. A Republican paper throughout its existence. Listed in Rowell, 1879, and in the later directories as *Plaindealer*.

ITEM, 1878–1879: Printed in the office of the Sparta *Plaindealer;* edited by E. C. Miner. Monthly.

OUR WORK, 1877: Edited by Rev. Thomas E. Green; published under the auspices of the First Presbyterian Church.

SPRINGFIELD, SANGAMON COUNTY

SANGAMO SPECTATOR, February 21, 1827–1829+: Edited by Hooper Warren, but owned by Ninian Edwards. He sold to Samuel C. Meredith. Changed to **A**

JOURNAL AND LITTLE SANGAMO GAZETTE, +February 16, 1829-1830: Conducted by S. C. Meredith. Discontinued after a few months.

COURIER, 1830: Editors, George Forquer and Thomas Ford, later Governor of Illinois.

SANGAMON JOURNAL, November 10, 1831–1855+: It appeared weekly from November 10, 1831, to June 13, 1848. It appeared first as a daily on Monday, June 13, 1848, and has since been issued both daily and weekly, under the various titles of *Sangamo Journal*, *Sangamon Journal*, and *Illinois State Journal*. The title *Sangamon Journal* was retained from the beginning till January 12, 1832, when, with no. 11, it was changed to *Sangamo Journal*. This paper supported the Whig party, thus favoring a national bank, protective tariff, and internal improvements. From the birth of the Republican party the *Journal* supported its principles. Published by Simeon and Josiah Francis, 1831–1835; Simeon Francis, 1835–1838; Simeon, Allen and J. Newton Francis, 1838–1843; Simeon and Allen Francis, 1843–1855; W. H. Bailhache and Edwaid L. Baker. 1855–1862. On September 23, 1847, the name was changed to *Illinois Journal*, and on August 13, 1855, was changed to that by which it has since been known, namely **HSAMF**

ILLINOIS STATE JOURNAL, +1855 to date: W. H. Bailhache sold his interest in 1862 to David L. Phillips. A stock company was formed in February, 1863; in March, 1866, Phillips sold his stock to Bailhache. In February, 1873, the stock was sold to Edward L. Baker, David P. Phillips, Charles Edwards, and J. D. Roper. Paul Selby, Milton F. Simmons, and Horace Chapin bought the paper in September, 1878, and in 1885 it became the property of Frank E. Tracy, Charles T. Stratton and A. F. Phillips; after one year Paul Selby and M. S. Kimball bought it; in April, 1889, the property was bought by Clarence R. Paul,

Harry F. Dorwin, and Lewis H. Miner. Paul Selby was associate editor from July, 1862, until after the close of the war, and again from 1874 to 1878; he was one of the proprietors and editor from 1878 to 1889. Clarence R. Paul was editor from 1889 until his death, May 28, 1908. He was succeeded by Lewis H. Miner. Files for several years owned by Mr. Kerns, Wyoming, Ill. **EDBHSUACWLF**

Illinois Herald, October, 1831–——(?): Established by Edward Jones and S. S. Brooks. Later it was published by Edmund D. Taylor; edited and printed by Samuel S. Brooks in 1833. **HM**

Illinois Republican, 1835–1839: A Democrat paper; supported Jackson's policy; was merged into the *Illinois State Register* in 1839. It was edited and published by John L. Roberts and George R. Weber. Stephen A. Douglas contributed to its columns. A mob, one of which was the sheriff of the county, attacked the office twice, but was repelled by the Weber Brothers.

Illinois State Register, +August 10(?), 1839, to date: Established by John York Sawyer, at Edwardsville as *Illinois Advocate*. It was published at Springfield by Wm. Walters and George R. Weber as editors and publishers until 1845. Mr. Walters and Charles H. Lanphier were editors and publishers, 1845–1846. On the death of Mr. Walters in July, 1846, Mr. Lanphier became editor and owner. He and George Walker were its editors and publishers, June 4, 1847–1858. On January 2, 1849, the *Daily Illinois State Register* was first issued. Mr. Walker having died, Mr. Lanphier and Edward Conner edited and published the paper in 1858–1859, Mr. Lanphier becoming sole proprietor late in 1859, and so continued until November 24, 1863. During 1860, the late Congressman William M. Springer, edited the paper. Mr. Lanphier's connection with the *Illinois State Register* closed in 1863, when it was suspended for a few months. It was revived by the Illinois State Register Publishing Company under the business management of George Judd and was edited by I. N. Higgins. On November 12, 1864, the paper was again suspended. On January 1, 1865, John W. Merritt and sons, Edward L. and Joseph D., became proprietors and revived the paper with John W. Merritt as editor-in-chief and Edward L. Merritt as his associate editor. January 1, 1866, Edward L. and Joseph D. Merritt became proprietors under the firm name of E. L. Merritt and Brother. In 1873 John W. Merritt was succeeded as editor by Edward L. Merritt. In 1877 the Merritt Brothers sold the paper to an incorporated company, composed of John M. Palmer, John Mayo Palmer, Edward L. Mer-

ritt and James M. Higgins. In 1880 this company sold the property to G. W. and J. R. Weber, sons of George R. Weber, who was connected with it in 1839, and Charles Edwards, John H. Oberly, and G. R. Weber edited it. Soon afterwards the paper was turned over to a trustee. Early in 1881 John M. Palmer bid it in on a sale and then sold it to George Smith, H. W. Clendenin, and Thomas Rees of Keokuk, Iowa, who issued their first number of June 19, 1881, under the firm name of Smith, Clendenin and Rees. Mr. Smith died in 1886 and the proprietorship was then placed in an incorporated company composed of H. W. Clendenin, Thomas Rees, and the heirs of Mr. Smith, the title being the Illinois State Register Company. A few years thereafter the Smith interest was purchased by the company controlled by Messrs. Clendenin and Rees, which is its present owner. Mr. Clendenin has been editor-in-chief since 1881, and Mr. Rees has been business manager during the same time. The *Illinois State Register* has been a Democratic paper since 1836, when Mr. Walters assumed its publication. **EDBJAHSUF**

ILLINOIS MESSENGER, 1840–(?): Edited by Samuel S. Brooks.

OLD SOLDIER, 1840: Edited by a Whig general committee; published by S. J. Francis and Company. **A**

OLD HICKORY, February 15–November 1, 1840: Published by a Democratic general committee. **A**

TIMES, October 17, 1843–1845: A Democratic paper edited by Samuel S. Brooks. **A**

OLIVE BRANCH, March–fall, 1844: A Whig campaign paper issued from the office of the *Journal*. **WM**

ILLINOIS ADLER UND DEMOCRATISCHER WHIG, May 21–fall, 1844: A German campaign paper edited by I. A. Arenz and published by I. F. Ruhe, Jr. **A**

ILLINOIS WASHINGTONIAN, March 1, 1845–——(?): Published by T. S. Fairchild and C. H. Ray for the Illinois State Temperance Society. Andrew McCarmack, S. S. Brooks, John B. Weber, Edmund R. Wiley and James C. Conkling comprised the publishing committee. Monthly. **H**

ILLINOIS ORGAN, June 24, 1848–1851(?): Established by George B. Goudy and S. S. Whitehurst, publishers and proprietors, and apparently, editors. The paper was "devoted to temperance, morals, literature, the arts and sciences, general news, and agriculture." Within four months Eli H. Hosea had taken the place of Goudy, and the temperance cause had become its chief *raison d'être*. By its third year D. J. Snow was editor. Volume 3, no. 50, July 19, 1851, is the latest copy available. **USF**

ILLINOIS UNIONIST AND STATESMAN, 1852–1853: A single copy in the library of the Chicago Historical Society is vol. 1, no. 33, for March 9, 1853. It gives J. Snow and Company as editors and publishers, but does not reveal the politics of the paper. **H**

WESTERN LEADER, January, 1854–——(?): Published by J. Snow and Company to further the aims of the Maine Law Alliance. **F**

DAILY ENTERPRISE, 1854–1855: Edited by Washington Wright; published by Richards and Smith. **S**

MEMENTO, AND ODD-FELLOWS' NORTHWESTERN MAGAZINE, August, 1854–1869(?): A fraternal monthly, edited by William Rounseville and published by N. C. Nason. Suspended from July, 1856, to April, 1857; then continued by Nason and Hill. Apparently there was another suspension, for vol. 5 ended in March, 1860, and vol. 7 began April 20, 1867, published by N. C. Nason, and edited by N. C. Nason and Samuel Willard. They were still conducting it in 1869. With vol. 3 the title was changed to *Memento and Odd Fellows' Family Magazine.* **H**

ILLINOIS FARMER, 1856–(after 1863): Edited by M. L. Dunlap from January, 1860, until after 1863; published by Bailhache and Baker. Monthly. **U**

AMERICAN ENTERPRISE AND ECLECTIC ADVERTISER, 1856–——(?): Issued by J. D. Freeman and H. Magee to advertise Freeman's "patent" medicines. **F**

OLIVE BRANCH, January, 1856–——(?): Edited by S W. Hawley as an organ of the Lutheran church. **F**

CONSERVATIVE, August 14 till fall, 1856: Issued during the presidential campaign to favor Millard Fillmore's nomination as a candidate for the presidency. **F**

DAILY INDEPENDENT, 1856–1858: A. M. Garland was editor; Garland and Wheeler were owners and publishers. Frank Leonard was a contributor, and Ben Richards was foreman. Supported Bell and Everett and the ideas of the know-nothing party in 1856. Wholly independent.

REPUBLICAN, February 9, 1857–——(?): John E. Rosette was editor; Jameson, Ashton and Company, proprietors. The paper was Republican, but "perfectly independent." Daily. **U**

ILLINOIS STATE DEMOCRAT, 1857–1860: Managed by J. J. Clarkson and edited by Elliott B. Herndon. While it claimed to represent Democracy it combated the "heresies" of Douglas.

ILLINOIS STAATS ANZEIGER, 1859–1861(?): Established by Dr. Theodore Canisius, who in 1861 was appointed by President Lincoln, consul at Vienna.

LINCOLN CLARION, June 5–November 27, 1860: A campaign paper, edited and published by E. R. Wiley, Jr. S

THEODORA, 1861(?): A religious monthly listed in Kenny's *American Newspaper Directory* for 1861.

MASONIC TROWEL, March, 1862–1875(?): Edited and published by Harmon G. Reynolds. H. G. Reynolds and Son became publishers later. H

ODD FELLOWS UNION, March 20, 1866–February 20, 1867: Published by Harmon G. Reynolds nad Son, edited by H. G. Reynolds, past Grand Master, and Samuel Willard, secretary. Discontinued at the end of one year. Monthly. HC

ILLINOIS STAATS DEMOCRAT, 1866–1871: Established and published by Christian Lohman.

CAPITAL RECORD AND FAMILY JOURNAL, 1869–1871: Established by Ed. A. Wilson, who was editor and publisher during the paper's career.

ILLINOIS ATLAS, 1869–1871: Thomas Lewis was editor and publisher in the first year; he was succeeded by Illinois Atlas Company. Independent. EA

LEGAL DIRECTORY, 1869–1873: Established by E. L. and W. L. Grass, who were editors and publishers through the paper's career. In 1873 it was called *Illinois Legal Directory*.

FREIE KANZEL, 1870: A German evangelical paper edited by A. Schabehorn, and published by C. Lohmann and Company.

DIE ZEITUNG, 1870–1871: Established and published by Christian Lohmann.

POLITICAL CRISIS, 1871: Established by R. Weber and Sons. Independent.

LABOR OF LOVE, 1872–1876: A monthly religious publication edited and published by Edwin A. Wilson.

ILLINOIS FREIE PRESSE, 1872–1890: For the first four months Edward Rummel, secretary of state, was editor and publisher, supporting the "liberal movement." Sold to Gehring and Hatze. After a year and a half Fred Gehring became sole proprietor and editor. In 1886 Gehring sold to Charles Bremer; Bremer sold to H. Schlange, the proprietor of *Staats Wochenblatt*, who discontinued the *Freie Presse* in 1890. U

SANGAMO MONITOR, 1873–1894(?): T. W. S. Kidd was editor and publisher and seems to have continued the paper until about 1894. Established as a weekly; a morning daily was begun in 1877 and called *Morning Monitor*. Independent.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION HERALD, 1876–(after 1881): Monthly.

FOOD FOR THE LAMBS, 1876: Issued "four times a month" by Edwin A. Wilson, for those who needed spiritual sustenance between the visitations of the *Labor of Love*.

ATHENEUM, 1877–——(?): A monthly literary journal, discontinued before 1881.

EVENING GAZETTE, 1878–——(?): A daily, edited and published by the Gazette Publishing Company.

STAATS WOCHENBLATT, 1878 to date: Established by H. Schlange, who sold to A. Wulff in 1882 and repurchased in 1885. He sold to Sexauer and Patzke in 1900. In 1901 B. F. Sexauer became editor and proprietor and has continued so to date.

ODD FELLOWS HERALD, August, 1878 to date: Established by A. D. Sanders, this publication has had a somewhat peripatetic career. Sanders sold to the Bulletin Publication Company of Bloomington in 1883, and the *Herald* was published by that company in Bloomington until 1885 when F. E. Huddle became owner. He sold in 1887 to George M. Adams, and Adams, in 1892, sold to C. F. Mansfield, who removed the *Herald* to Mansfield. In 1893 it was transferred to Owen Scott, who removed it to Bloomington. In 1894 it was bought by James R. Miller and John H. Sikes, who removed it to Springfield, where it has remained. In 1903 Mr. Miller died, and the publication has been continued by John H. Sikes and Mrs. Mary P. Miller. It is the official organ of the I. O. O. F. of Illinois.

A. O. H. EMERALD, 1879–1880(?)+: Organ of the Ancient Order of Hibernians. James E. Dunn was editor and publisher. In 1882 it had been moved to Chicago, and was dated at Chicago and Springfield. Publication seems to have suspended late in the 80s.

SUNDAY MAIL, 1879–1880: A short-lived paper edited and published by the Mail Company.

STATE ARGUS, July 10, 1879–——(?): Edited by D. W. Lusk; published by the State Argus Company, of which George N. Black was secretary, William Jayne, president. It was named in the subtitle "a weekly journal of general intelligence, state interests, politics and literature." The contents indicate that special emphasis was placed on Republican politics. U

ILLINOIS SYNOPTICAL REPORTER, August, 1879–——(?): A bimonthly law journal, edited by J. C. Wells.

STANFORD, McLEAN COUNTY

TRIBUNE, February, 1879–March, 1880: A non-partisan paper, edited and published by Shannon Creed.

STAUNTON, MACOUPIN COUNTY

TIMES, August, 1878, to date: Established by Showman and Lamb, who sold after two months to W. F. Bently. It was published and edited by F. L. Blome from 1885 to 1898; T. H. Edwards, 1898 to 1904; T. H. and J. J. Edwards, 1904 to 1908; M. W. Meyers, 1909. Bound files dating from 1885 to 1908 in possession of T. H. Edwards.

STEELEVILLE, RANDOLPH COUNTY

TIMES, 1875–1876: Edited and published by W. S. West. Printed at the office of the Tamaroa *Perry County Watchman.*

STERLING, WHITESIDE COUNTY

TIMES, December, 1854–1857: Established by Charles Boynton In 1855 Gratton and Norwood purchased the paper and made it Republican. In the spring of 1856 Gratton and Norwood sold to L. D. Crandall, under whom the *Times* became Democratic and supported James Buchanan for the presidency. William Hyde was the editor. In the winter of 1856–1857 Worthington and Biggert bought the paper, and they continued it until its suspension, after about three years. One of the first copies is on file in the office of the *Gazette.* The *Times* was neutral in politics under Mr. Boynton. **F**

REPUBLICAN, July, 1856–1858+: Established by William Caffrey, who strongly advocated the election of John C. Fremont as president. Combined with *Gazette.* **F**

GAZETTE, 1857–1858+: Established by H. G. Gratton. It was soon combined with the *Republican* as

REPUBLICAN AND GAZETTE, +1858+: Caffrey and Gratton were joint publishers until Gratton sold his interest to Walter Nimocks. Caffrey and Nimocks continued only a short time. Nimocks took his share to Kansas, and Caffrey continued the paper under the name of **H**

GAZETTE, +1858 to date: In 1861 the *Gazette* passed into the hands of C. M. Worthington and Company. Shortly afterward, Worthington became the sole proprietor and later, September, 1870, sold the office to George Terwilliger. Later he sold back to Worthington. In January, 1873, Worthington sold a half interest to W. F. Eastman and the firm became C. M. Worthington and Company. In March, 1876, Eastman became sole editor

and owner. In four months he sold a half interest to D. J. Jenne. The firm of Eastman and Jenne continued until the spring of 1880, when the Sterling Gazette Company was organized. Eastman and Jenne retired and the stock was bought by Chalkly John and William R. Cobb. In 1886 Dennis T. Kelly and John W. Lee purchased the stock, but their unsuccessful management brought the company into the hands of W. F. Eastman as receiver. He continued to January, 1887. Since that date the owners have been: Chalkly John and H. L. John, January, 1887, several years; C., H. L., and M. D. John, September, 1903; Orville P. Bassett and the Sterling Publishing Company, later the Sterling Gazette Company, to date. Among the editors of the past twenty years have been: W. R. Cobb, Charles M. Worthington, Joe R. Adams, M. D. John, Scott Williams, Orville P. Bassett, and Edward S. Hoover, editor in 1908. The *Gazette* was weekly until 1881, when the daily edition was established. About 1903 a semi-weekly edition replaced the weekly, and March, 1907, the semi-weekly was abandoned. The paper has been Republican for fifty years. Files are in the office. **H**

WHITESIDE COUNTY ARGUS, 1867 to date (1869): In 1869 W. S. and G. W. Pratt were editors and publishers. The paper was Democratic.

WHITESIDE CHRONICLE, 1868–1870: A Republican paper, established by Theodore H. and Charles M. Mack. Later T. H. Mack purchased the whole paper. In 1870 he changed it to the

STANDARD, 1870 to date: Theodore Mack was editor and publisher until 1883, when he sold a half interest to James W. Newcomer In 1887 Alfred Bayliss took the place of Mr. Mack; in 1889 Thomas Diller bought Mr. Newcomer's interest, and later that of Mr. Bayliss. He then took Eugene B. Fletcher into partnership. In 1906 A. L. Richmond bought the paper and has since that time published and edited it. In 1892 the paper was made a daily. There was also a semi-weekly edition, which was abandoned in 1908. The paper is Republican. **HU**

RECORD, 1870–1871: A monthly devoted to miscellany, essays, local items, poetry, and jokes. Conducted only one year by Calvin Martin.

ROCK RIVER REVIEW, 1871: Edited and published by Charles M. Mack. Monthly.

WHITESIDE TIMES, 1874 to date (1879): Dated at Sterling and Rock Falls. (See under Rock Falls.)

BEOBACHTER, 1877 to date: In 1879 and 1880 Carl Strack was editor and publisher; in 1882 H. Matthey, Jr.; L. Oltmanns after 1882 to date (1907). German. Democratic.

CLEAR GRIT, 1877: Edited and published by Ralph W. Norwood.

OBSERVER, 1879–1880: Edited and published by Charles Strack. Issued from the office of the *Beobachter*. An Independent paper.

POULTRY BANNER, 1879–1880: A monthly, devoted to poultry-raising. J. F. Streeter was editor and publisher.

STEWARTSON, SHELBY COUNTY

ENTERPRISE, 1878–1887+: Edited by Milton A. Bates, 1878; by A. M. Anderson and H. Martin latter half of 1878; by H. Martin and C. D. Shumard early in 1879; by W. B. Townsend and Harry Martin last half of 1879; by A. M. Anderson, 1879–1887. In 1887 it was changed to the *Clipper*. It was edited by W. H. Fegan and Zip Wilson for a few months, and by W. H. Fegan 1877 to date. An Independent paper.

STONE FORT, SALINE COUNTY

JOURNAL, 1874–1877(?): Edited and published in 1875 by A. J. Alden; in 1876 by J. J. Penny; in 1877 by J. B. Chapman. U

STREATOR, LA SALLE COUNTY

MONITOR, 1869 to date: Founded by Rutan Brothers. In a few months they sold to F. D. Dalton, who made the paper semi-weekly. In 1874 Mr. Dalton sold to Samuel Plumb, who returned the paper to weekly form. Mr. Plumb sold to W. W. Bean, who, in May, 1881, founded the daily *Monitor*. Rowell, 1879, gives Cadet and W. B. Taylor as editors and publishers in 1879 and the title *Monitor-Index* in 1880 In 1907 W. W. Bean was still conducting the paper, which has always been Republican.

FREE PRESS, 1873 to date: Founded by Irving Carrier. After the first edition the paper was published by Carrier and Bean. In 1874, they were succeeded by Rev. James H. Clark, who in a few months received Walter Hoge as partner. After six months Mr. Clark sold his interest to Hoge. John W. Fornof purchased a half interest, February, 1877. Hoge and Fornof, 1877–1878; Fornof, 1878–1879; Fornof and Hoge, 1879–1884; Skiver and Fornof, 1884 to date. The paper had been Republican except under Hoge's management, when it was Democratic. The daily was begun in December, 1880. In 1905, the Free Press Company was incorporated, and in 1907 was still publishing the *Free Press*, with Fornof and Van Skiver as editors.

PIONEER, 1875–1877: Gale and Hodge were editors and publishers 1876; W. Hector Gale, 1877. Republican.

SULLIVAN, MOULTRIE COUNTY

EXPRESS, January or February, 1857–1866: Edited by J. D. Mondy, 1857–1858; J. H. Waggoner and B. B. Haydon, 1858; J. H. and E. E. Waggoner, 1858; E. E. Waggoner, 1858–1859; J. H. and I. V. Waggoner, 1859; J. H. Waggoner, 1859; Mr. Waggoner as manager and John R. Ecden, editor, 1859–1860. In 1860 its publication ceased for awhile. It was revived by Alfred N. Smyser and conducted by him, 1860–1862; Perryman Brothers, 1862–1866 (irregular); Richard Couch, 1866. Changed by Joseph H. Waggoner, who owned the paper in 1866, to

DEMOCRAT, 1866–1869+: Richard Couch and I. D. Perryman, 1866–1869; Thomas M. Bushnell, owing to a chattel mortgage, became proprietor and changed the name to

PROGRESS, +1869 to date: Bushfield, proprietor, W. H. Smyser, editor, 1869; P. L. Shutt and Smyser, 1869–1873; W. H. Smyser and W. J. Mize, 1873–1883. W. J. Mize and Company, 1884; I. J. Martin and Company, 1891; I. J. Martin, editor, Progress Printing Company publishers in 1895. In 1907 the Progress Printing Company were editors and publishers. The paper is Democratic.

MOULTRIE COUNTY UNION BANNER, 1863 (1860?)–1867+: Established by W. M. Stanley. W. A. Ballard was editor and manager for one year. Then Mr. Stanley became proprietor and editor. In 1867 he sold to Alvin P. Greene and J. F. Hughes, who changed the name to

OKAW REPUBLICAN, +1867–1870: The withdrawal of Mr. Hughes in 1868 left Mr. Greene editor and publisher. In 1870 the office was sold and removed from the county.

PLAINDEALER, 1872–1874: B. B. and C. W. Everett were editors and proprietors. It was traded to P. W. Shutt, who removed the office to Paris. A Republican paper.

MOULTRIE COUNTY CHRONICLE, 1874: Established by Cicero V. Walls. It was continued for eleven weeks in the interest of the "farmers' movement."

JOURNAL, 1875 to date (1884): Founded by W. A. Chapman, who in 1876 sold to A. S. Lindsay and J. W. Rohr. In August, Mr. Rohr retired and J. T. Williams became editor. In 1878–1877 Mr. Williams and W. G. Cambridge; 1877, T. L. McGrath and J. C. Stanley; May, 1877–1878, J. C. and W. M. Stanley; 1878–1880, J. C. Stanley; 1880, Fred T. Magruder and James R. Sedgwick; 1882, Hogg and Bankson; 1884, A. F. Brown.

SUMNER, LAWRENCE COUNTY

LAWRENCE COUNTY PRESS, November, 1875 to date: An Independent paper, established by James A. Ilger. In April, 1878, he sold to C. P. and W. E. Mock. C. P. Mock retired in July, 1878. W. E. Mock sold in October, 1879(?) to Z. D. French and A. C. Clippinger. They made the paper Republican. After several changes in ownership the paper was bought in 1881 by A. C. Clippinger, who made it Independent. W. R. Carlton bought it in September, 1881, made it Republican and in 1882 changed it to Sumner *Press*. Carlton died in 1889, and after various changes in management, the *Press* was bought by T. H. Seed, who conducted it until August 1, 1902, when he sold to James I. Wagner, the present editor and publisher.

SYCAMORE, DeKALB COUNTY

REPUBLICAN SENTINEL, 1854–1858+: Edited by H. A. Hough, 1854–1857; Daniel Dustin, 1857–1858. Changed to **PF**

DeKALB COUNTY REPUBLICAN, +1858–1861+: Edited by E. L. Mayo, Z. B. Mayo, and J. A. Simons. It supported Douglas for re-election to the senate. By 1861 the title had been changed to *Sentinel*, under which name the paper was sold to **F**

TRUE REPUBLICAN, 1857 to date: Edited by C. W. Waite, 1858–1863; H. L. Boies, 1863–1887; F. O. Van Galder, 1887–1899; Edward I. Boies, 1899 to date. Proprietors: C. W. Waite, 1857–1858; J. H. Beveridge and Company, 1858–1859; O. P. Bassett, 1859–1862; Mr. Bassett and H. L. Boies, 1862–1865; John Norris and Company, 1865–1868; H. L. Boies, 1868–1874; Boies and Taylor, 1874–1875; Boies and Armstrong, 1875–1878; Boies and Peck, 1878–1880; Boies and Hartman, 1880–1884; H. L. Boies and Company, 1884–1887; Van Galder and Boies, 1887–1899; Edward I. Boies and C. H. Bucks, 1899–1900; E. I. Boies, 1900–1907; E. I. Boies and A. H. Rasch, 1907 to date. It was issued weekly until December, 1869; since then semi-weekly. Files are in the office. From 1861, after the *Sentinel* was absorbed, to about the close of the war, the paper was known as the **PF**

REPUBLICAN AND SENTINEL, 1861–1865: (See *True Republican*). Changed back to *True Republican*. **P**

REFORMER, 1870–1874+: In 1874 Arnold Brothers were editors and publishers. Monthly. Methodist. Changed to

REFORMER AND FREE PRESS, +1874–1876+: Published by Arnold Brothers. "A sprightly family paper. Outspoken upon all the popular sins of the day." It became **U**

FREE METHODIST, +1876–1880+: A Methodist weekly, edited and published by D. P. Baker and T. B. Arnold, who moved it from Aurora (which see). In 1880 it was moved to Chicago. Charles B. Ebey was editor and S. K. J. Chesbro publisher in 1907 Since July 15, 1907, J. T. Logan has been editor and W. B. Rose, publisher. The editors and publishers are elected quadrennially.

PEARL, 1871(?)–——(?): A Sunday school monthly edited and published by D. P. Baker and T. B. Arnold. U

DEKALB COUNTY FARMER, 1871–1872: Volaski Hix was editor and publisher. The paper was discontinued after one year. U

CITY WEEKLY, 1872–1892: Edited by Volaski Hix, 1872–1878; Hix and Van Galder, 1878–1887; Hix and Sonn, 1887–1893; L. P. Hix, 1893–1902. The paper was changed to the Sycamore *Tribune*, 1902 to date, edited and published since October, 1904, by George L. Anderson. Semi-weekly since April, 1902. Republican. U

CHRISTIAN PILGRIM, 1873–1876: Non-sectarian monthly, "opposed to all the sins, superfluities, and formalism of the age." M. F. Manley and N. T. Frame were editors; Baker and Arnold, publishers. U

FREE PRESS, 1878–1879: A daily established by Davis, Manning, and Russell.

TALLULA, MENARD COUNTY

ENTERPRISE, 1874–1875: Established by Thrapp Brothers; D. H. Cooke was editor and publisher.

TAMAROA, PERRY COUNTY

EGYPTIAN SPY, 1861(?): Listed, without details, in Kenny's *American Newspaper Directory* for 1861.

PERRY COUNTY WATCHMAN, 1870–1872+: Established by a stock company with L. E. Knapp and H. W. Adams as editors and publishers. In 1872 D. C. Barber obtained control of the stock and leased the office to H. F. Montressor, who changed the name to U

ENTERPRISE, +1872–——(?): Short-lived. The material was leased to E. W. Koonce, who changed the name to

STAR ——(?)–——(?): Short-lived. The office went into the hands of F. A. Allison, who established the

ITEM, ——(?)–——(?): Mr. Allison was succeeded by Curlee Brothers. After a short time, Mr. Barber sold the office to persons in Murphysboro.

PERRY COUNTY WATCHMAN, January, 1874–(after 1876): An Independent paper edited by A. V. Willoughby and Company. U

PERRY COUNTY PRESS, 1879–1881: An Independent paper, established by Curlee Brothers. In 1881 it was removed to DuQuoin, where it was issued as the DuQuoin *Press*.

TAMPICO, WHITESIDE COUNTY

TORNADO, 1876 to date: Established by A. D. Hill and Charles F. Gifford. During the first year it was printed at Prophetstown. At the end of the first year Mr. Gifford became sole owner, and continued so to 1900. A. D. Hill then conducted it for one month and sold to George Isherwood, editor and proprietor to date. The paper is Independent. Files are available at the office.

TAYLORVILLE, CHRISTIAN COUNTY

INDEPENDENT PRESS, 1858–1868: Edited by Benjamin Winters. The press on which this paper was printed had done duty in the office of the *Missouri Republican* as early as 1808, the first number of which paper was printed on it. In 1831 it was used in establishing the *Sangamo Journal* in Springfield, Illinois. Democratic. F

JOURNAL, 1859– ——(?): Published by Carr, Van Kirk, and Company. Short-lived. Democratic.

FLAG, July, 1864–1870+: Established by the Union League, a Republican political organization, as a party organ. J. D. Goudy was manager and editor. After three weeks, Paul Conner was put in charge, soon purchased the office and became sole editor and proprietor, in which capacity he continued until April, 1866, when J. J. Squier purchased an interest. The firm remained Conner and Squier until November, 1866, when Squier purchased Conner's interest, becoming editor and publisher. In November, 1870, he changed the name of the *Flag* to

ILLINOIS REPUBLICAN, +November, 1870 to date (1881): W. B. Squier joined his brother, J. J. Squier, on the *Republican*, and the firm continued Squier Brothers until March, 1874. Partnership was dissolved at this time, J. J. Squier remaining editor and publisher to date (1881). The paper was Republican. U

SATURDAY REPUBLICAN: August, 1876 to date (1881): Established by John J. Squier; an adjunct to the *Illinois Republican*, and published from that office.

CHRISTIAN COUNTY DEMOCRAT, August, 1868–1874+: Established with the support of the Democratic party, by John J. Smith, who remained editor and publisher until November of that year. James Suttle, November, 1868, to September, 1869; S. P. Davis and F. L. Powers, September, 1869–February 11, 1871. W. T.

Martin then purchased the paper. In May, 1874, the words, *Christian County* were dropped and the paper has since been known as the Taylorville

DEMOCRAT, +1874–1900: Established by W. T. Martin, sole editor and publisher until George W. Weber became a partner August, 1875. Mr. Weber retired in June, 1877. January, 1880, Martin sold to Benjamin A. and Philip A. Richards. Richards was succeeded by J. F. Harner, he by Vincent Foy and he by C. N. Walls. In 1900 the *Democrat* was bought by the *Courier* and merged with that paper. U

CHRISTAIN COUNTY REAL ESTATE ADVERTISER, 1870: Issued by Shumway and Brother. Monthly.

INDEPENDENT, March, 1875–January, 1876: Established by Messrs. Mallory and Danley, proprietors, with R. V. Mallory as editor. After thirteen numbers, the editor turned over the business to Noyes B. Chapman, who continued the publication, with C. F. Tucker as editor, until July 30, 1875. From that date, M. A. Bates published and edited the *Independent* until it was discontinued January 14, 1876. This paper was the organ of the Granger and Greenback element of Christian county and was revived as such in March, 1876, under the name of

FARMERS' JOURNAL, March, 1876 to date (1907): Resurrected from the *Independent* by Lewis and Brown, publishers and editors. August 31, 1876, the office came into the possession of J. F Harner, and E. W. Anderson became editor. After publishing the *Journal* one year, Mr. Harner changed the tone from Granger and Greenback to Democratic, which it remained till discontinued. In 1880 J. F. Harner and Company were publishers and Anderson and Harner, editors. It was afterward changed to *Journal;* A. D. Webb, editor and proprietor. It was discontinued after 1907.

THOMSON, CARROLL COUNTY

COURIER, 1867–1873: A Republican paper, edited and published in 1869 by D. McCoy. C. E. Brown was editor and publisher in 1870–1871; Peter Holman and Company, 1872–1873. Printed at the office of the *Lanark Carroll County Gazette.*

JOURNAL, 1873–1876: Edited and published by Peter Holman; printed at the office of the Fulton *Journal.* A Republican paper.

NEWS, 1873 to date (1874): Edited and published by Dode Green.

VILLAGE ECHO, 1874 to date (1876): A Republican paper edited and published by W. G. Tate. Printed at the office of the Mount Carroll *Carroll County Mirror.*

TISKILWA, BUREAU COUNTY

INDEPENDENT, February, 1856–May, 1857: Independent in politics. Established by George L. Karl (George Hall?).

REGISTER, September, 1876–1877: Established by D. B. Sherwood.

TOLEDO, CUMBERLAND COUNTY

REGISTER, September, 1876–1877: Established by D. B. Sherwood.

DEMOCRAT, 1859 to date: In 1907 George Barton and L. M. Wood were editors and publishers. Democratic in politics.

TOLONO, CHAMPAIGN COUNTY

CITIZEN, 1869–1870: Established by John S. Harper, editor and publisher. Printed at the office of the Homer *Journal*.

HERALD, 1875 to date: Established by E. J. and E. B. Chapin. E. J. Chapin, the father, was publisher, the son was editor. In 1877 the proprietorship passed to E. B. Chapin. In 1891 he sold to A. B. Campbell, who is still editor and publisher. The paper has always been Republican. U

TONICA, LA SALLE COUNTY

REGISTER, 1870–1871: Established and conducted by O. J. and L. W. Dimmick.

LOCAL, 1871–1877(?): Edited by Little and Taylor, 1871–1873: Alfred Heath, 1874–1876; William A. Flint, 1877.

NEWS, 1874 to date: In 1878, under the management of J. W. Richardson and William A. McGrew, it was made a strictly local paper. In 1879 Mr. Richardson was editor, and Richardson and McGrew were publishers. In 1883 Mr. Richardson became sole owner and continued publication to 1901, when he took his son into partnership. Since 1878 an edition for Lostant has been published, called the Lostant *Local*. A complete file of the *News* since 1878 is kept, bound, in the office, and another at the house of J. W. Richardson. The La Salle County history states that the *News* was started as a semi-monthly in 1872, by C. M. Kellar, who enlarged it in 1873 and in 1875 sold it to William A. McGrew, J. W. Richardson purchasing a half interest in 1878.

TOULON, STARK COUNRY

PRAIRIE ADVOCATE, 1856–1857+: Established by John G. Hewitt and John Smith, the latter retiring soon. In spring of 1857 Mr. Hewitt sold to Rev. R. C. Dunn, who changed it to

STARK COUNTY NEWS, +1857–1860: Mr. Dunn soon sold to Messrs. Henderson and Whitaker, and its publication was continued somewhat irregularly by Dr. S. S. Kaysbier.

STARK COUNTY UNION, 1861: Established on the ruins of the *Stark County News*, in the fall of 1861, by W. H. Butler, who abandoned the enterprise after a few months. Neutral in politics.

STARK COUNTY NEWS, 1863 to date: Established by S. S. Kaysbier in the office of the original *Stark County News*. Mr. Kaysbier published it from the spring of 1863 to January 1, 1864, when he took into partnership Oliver White. In the first number published by the two partners, White had a brief editorial on Lincoln as a candidate for a second term as president. This is said to be the first public mention of Lincoln's name in this connection in the whole country. From the summer of 1864 to the fall of 1868 White conducted the paper alone; fall of 1868, to spring of 1869, White and Joseph Smethurst; spring of 1869 for a few months Joseph Smethurst and Edwin Butler. Edwin Butler, from fall of 1869 till after 1884; G. A. Monteith, 1891; Charles T. Henderson, editor, J. E. Henderson, publisher in 1895. Republican in politics.

STARK COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1860: the organ of the Douglas Club of Stark County during the campaign of 1860. First appeared in July, 1860; Mr. Schallenberger, editor. Democratic in politics; its career ended with the defeat of Douglas in 1860.

STARK COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1867– ——(?)+: Established by a company of Democrats, August, 1867; Seth Rockwell, publisher, M. Schallenberger, editor. Rockwell was succeeded after one year by Benjamin W. Seaton. Schallenberger after two years was also succeeded by Seaton, who took entire control and changed the name of the paper to

PRAIRIE CHIEF, +1869–1872+: Mr. Seaton conducted the paper until April, 1872, when Henry M. Hall succeeded him and renamed the paper

NEW ERA, +1872–1875: Henry M. Hall was editor and publisher.

MOLLY STARK, 1876– ——(?): Published by Oliver White. Republican in politics. Tri-weekly.

HERALD, 1878–1880+: Edited and published by E. H. Phelps, who removed it to Wyoming in 1880. He sold it in 1883 to Arthur Hotchkiss, who in turn sold to William R. Sandham in 1885. Sandham combined it with the *Post*. Semi-weekly. Republican.

TREMONT, TAZEWELL COUNTY

TAZEWELL WHIG, 1835–1848: Edited by Briggs and Farnham; later by P. H. Thompson (see *Mirror*, Pekin). Vol. 3 is in the Withers Public Library, Bloomington. B

TAZEWELL DEMOCRAT, October, 1843–——(?): Edited by W. H. Leonard; published by J. A. Nason.

TRENTON, CLINTON COUNTY

COURIER, 1873–1875: Edited and published by E. H. Elliff.

TROY, MADISON COUNTY

WEEKLY BULLETIN, February, 1873–1884: Established by James N. Jarvis, who continued the publication to 1881. Then he sold to George Armstrong and Joseph S. Umberger. In three months they sold to Henry B. Morriss. In 1882 Morriss sold to Dr. F. A. Sabin. In September, 1883, Mr. Jarvis established the Troy *Record*, and in the spring of 1884 bought the *Bulletin*, merged the two plants and discontinued the publication of the *Bulletin*. The motto of the paper was, "Independent in all things; neutral in nothing." Files from 1873–1881, excepting that of 1876, accidentally destroyed, are in the possession of Mr. Jarvis.

TURNER JUNCTION, DUPAGE COUNTY

NEWS, 1871–1884(?): J. Russell Smith was editor and publisher, 1871–1883; J. J. Dunkelberg, 1884. Printed at the office of the Wheaton *Illinoisan*.

TUSCOLA, DOUGLAS COUNTY

PRESS, 1859–(short-lived): Proprietor left between two days.

SHIELD, 1861(?): Listed, without details, in Kenny's *American Newspaper Directory* for 1861.

JOURNAL, 1864 to date: Established by Siler and Amasa S. Lindsey, who were succeeded by Williams in 1876. It was edited and published in 1879 by C. M. Walls. In 1881 George Glassco conducted the paper; afterward, "Tom" Williams and a Mr. Glassco. It was owned and conducted in 1898 by A. C. Sluss. In 1907 C. R. Truitt was editor and publisher. Republican.

DOUGLAS COUNTY SHIELD, 1865–1867: Established by the Sellers Brothers.

UNION, ——(?) – —— (?): Established by a Mr. Gregory. Not a success.

INDEPENDENT STATESMAN, 1868 to date (1889): Edited and published by A. Sellers. Democratic.

DOUGLAS COUNTY REVIEW, 1875 to date: Established by Converse and Parks. In 1877 Colonel Phecian became editor. He was succeeded in six months by Major Asa Miller, who managed the paper up to 1892, when he sold to Charles W. Wilson. Democratic, yet popular among Republicans.

GAZETTE, 1872–1875 : O. B. Lester was editor and publisher.

UPPER ALTON, MADISON COUNTY

QUI VIVE, 1868–1877(?): A college paper, edited by the students of Shurtleff College. Monthly.

COLLEGE REVIEW, 1879–(?): Frank J. Merchant and John L. Pearson, editors. Issued by Shurtleff College students. Monthly. (See Alton for other papers.)

URBANA, CHAMPAIGN COUNTY

UNION, 1852–1862: Established by William N. Coler and H. K. Davis; edited by W. N. Coler, 1852–1853; J. O. Cunningham and Benjamin Roney, 1853–1854; in 1854 Roney disappeared and George N. Richards entered the firm. In 1855 he sold to George W. Flynn. A branch office was opened in West Urbana, now Champaign, in 1857. In 1858 the paper was sold to David S. and Charles E. Crandall, who moved it to Champaign in 1859. In 1852 the *Union* advocated the election of Pierce for president, but in 1856 it took grounds with the anti-slavery party and was thereafter Republican. Files of the *Union* from vol. 1, no. 37, to August, 1858, are in possession of J. O. Cunningham of Urbana. **F**

OUR CONSTITUTION, July, 1856–1859: A Democratic paper established by Jacob Zimmerman and George N. Richards, with the former as editor. In the fall of 1859 the paper was removed to Champaign and soon discontinued. Files complete owned by J. O. Cunningham.

CLARION, October, 1859–1860: Established by Erastus A. Munger and Lyman E. Knapp. Sold to William Munhall, who changed it from a neutral to a Democratic paper and the name to *Hickory Boy*. Partial files owned by J. O. Cunningham.

HICKORY BOY, 1860–1861: Published by William Munhall and edited by J. W. Jaquith. Supported Douglas in the campaign of 1860. Partial files owned by J. O. Cunningham.

CHAMPAIGN COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1861–1862+: Published by William Munhall. The name of the *Democrat* was changed November, 1862, to

CHAMPAIGN COUNTY PATRIOT, +1862–1865: But was published under both names by William Munhall as an ardent Union organ and supporter of Lincoln. Suspended about the close of the Civil War, and material used in the publication of the

CHAMPAIGN COUNTY JOURNAL, January, 1866–1867: A Democratic paper established by Daniel McKenzie and George W. Gere. Sold in April to Jarvis D. Hurd; after one year B. B. Andrews bought an interest. Suspended in the autumn of 1867

ILLINOIS DEMOCRAT, 1867–1871: P. Lochrie was editor and publisher.

TOCSIN, 1869–1870+: Established and published by Frank M. Snyder; M. W. Mathews was editor. In 1870 changed to

REPUBLICAN, +1870–1878; 1880: Published and edited by Frank M. Snyder. Burned in October, 1871, publication was resumed in December; burned in 1874 and again resumed; burned in 1878 and suspended until 1880, when publication was resumed and continued some months. Then the property was sold to Rev. David Gay, who soon removed it. U

STUDENT, November, 1871–1873+: A monthly, edited and published by students in the Illinois Industrial University. At the beginning of Vol. 3 the name was changed to U

ILLINI, +January, 1874 to date: Edited and published by students in Illinois Industrial University, later University of Illinois. No place of publication was indicated after the change of name until the beginning of vol. 10, September 16, 1880. Then the *Illini* was issued from Champaign, and became semi-monthly. With vol. 23, beginning September 16, 1893, it became weekly; with vol. 29, beginning September 20, 1899, it became tri-weekly; with vol. 32, beginning September 17, 1902, it became daily five days a week, increased to six with vol. 35, beginning September 20, 1905. Beginning with vol. 34, the *Illini* has been published in Urbana. U

YOUNG AMERICA, 1872(?)–——(?): An amateur monthly published in 1872 by Gregory and Smith.

CHAMPAIGN COUNTY HERALD, 1877–1906+: Established by S. C. Harris and Andrew Lewis. After a few weeks Lewis bought out Harris. In 1879 he sold to M. W. Mathews and C. B. Taylor. In 1881 Taylor sold to Mathews, who continued editor and publisher until his death in 1892. Judge J. O. Cunningham has said: "Mr. Mathews gave to the *Herald* a reputation second to no country paper in the state of Illinois, and achieved for himself a high reputation as a newspaper man." Through most of the time that Mr. Mathews was editor, L. A. McLean was manager and an editorial writer. Mr. McLean became editor in 1892 and continued until 1902. He was succeeded by John Gray. In 1906 the paper was merged with the *Courier* (established 1894) as *Courier-eraldH*, F. E. Pinkerton and G. W. Martin, editors.

UTICA, LA SALLE COUNTY

ENTERPRISE, 1876–1877: Established by D. L. Hennessey; printed in Peru; discontinued after one year. Monthly.

VANDALIA, FAYETTE COUNTY

ILLINOIS INTELLIGENCER, +1820–1832+: Moved from Kaskaskia to Vandalia where Elijah C. Berry was succeeded by a brother, William Berry, and William H. Brown. The *Intelligencer* for February 15, 1823, contained a severe criticism of the convention legislators, written by Brown. To the article was appended a note: "The above '*extraordinary legislative proceedings*' have been published by my partner, Wm. H. Brown, esq., without my *approbation*, and shall be answered next week. William Berry." The next number bears Blackwell's name instead of Brown's and contains signed articles by William Berry, Wm. H. Brown, and R. Blackwell, explaining the change. The paper now became pro-slavery. For some time between March 19, and May 7, 1824, Berry was financially embarrassed and the paper was suspended for a short time. Governor Coles furnished David Blackwell money to run the paper, and stipulated that it should support the anti-convention party. Samuel D. Lockwood was editor, representing Coles, but his name does not appear in the paper. On the surface, Berry disposed of his interest to David Blackwell, whose prospectus asserting that he would "give his uniform opposition" to the convention was published May 14. David Blackwell published the *Intelligencer* until February 4, 1825, when Robert Blackwell and Company, printers to the state and publishers of the laws of the United States, became the publishers. With the number for June 24, 1825, Robert Blackwell alone became publisher. With Robert Blackwell's return to control, the paper again became friendly to slavery. Judge James Hall bought a half interest January 17, 1829, and was editor until 1832, when he left Illinois. The paper supported Adams, but "felt no animosity to Jackson and stood ready to do the same justice to him as to Adams." In March, 1832, Hall sold to Sherman and Greiner, owners of *Illinois Whig*, and the two papers were combined, with S. C. Sherman as editor. **EMWUHSA**

VANDALIA INTELLIGENCER[1], 1822: Established by anti-conventionists led by Governor Coles and Daniel P. Cook. Edited by David Blackwell, Secretary of State.

ILLINOIS MONTHLY MAGAZINE, October, 1830–September, 1832: The first literary periodical published in Illinois. It was conducted by James Hall, and for one year it was published at Vandalia, where it was printed by Robert Blackwell, public printer. After the first year the magazine was issued from Cincinnati In

[1] This item, found in the earlier edition of this bibliography, is apparently based on a misconception. There is no evidence to show that such a paper ever existed.—F. W. S.

ILLINOIS ADVOCATE.

VOLUME 1. EDWARDSVILLE, ILLINOIS, WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1831. NUMBER 2.

BY AUTHORITY.

LAWS OF THE UNITED STATES,

PASSED AT THE

SECOND SESSION OF THE TWENTY-FIRST CONGRESS.

[Public—No 1]

AN ACT to change the time of holding the rule term of the circuit court for the district of West Tennessee:

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That it shall be the duty of the District Judge of Tennessee, to hold a term of the circuit court at Nashville, for the district of West Tennessee, on the first Monday in March, in each year, who shall have power to make all necessary rules and orders touching any suit, action, appeal, writ of error, process, pleadings, or proceedings, that may be pending in said circuit court, or that may have issued returnable to the circuit court to be holden on the first Monday in September next, preparatory to the hearing, trial or decision of such action, suit, appeal, writ of error, process, pleadings or proceedings; and all writs and process may hereafter be returnable to the said courts to be holden on the first Monday in March, in the same manner as to the sessions of the circuit courts directed by law to be held at Nashville on the first Monday in September of each year; and the writs and other process returnable to the said circuit court on the first Monday in September, may bear test on the first Monday in March.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the

[Public—No. 4.]

AN ACT for the benefit of schools in Lawrence county, Mississippi.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That one section of the public lands subject to private entry and sale in the State of Mississippi, be located for the use and benefit of schools in Lawrence county, in said State, in lieu of the sixteenth section sold and patented to Will Whitehead.

Sec. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That any person appointed by order of the Probate Court in and for the county of Lawrence, be, and he is hereby, authorized to locate the quantity of land named in this act, for the purpose above named.

Approved, January 13, 1831.

A RESOLUTION in relation to the transmission of public documents printed by order of either House of Congress.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That nothing contained in the act to reduce into one the several acts establishing and regulating the Post Office Department, approved March third, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-five, shall be construed to repeal or limit the operation of the act authorizing the transmission of certain documents free of postage, approved December nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and twenty one

Approved, January 13, 1831.

[illegible] sufficient evidence to the [illegible] originally given by them to the Government of the United States, and that no part of the amount has been received by them, or satisfied, directly or indirectly, from the agents through whom they sold or contracted.

ANDREW STEVENSON,
Speaker of the House of Representatives
JOHN C. CALHOUN,
Speaker of the Senate.
Approved, January 27 1831.

ANDREW JACKSON.

[Public—No 8.]

AN ACT making appropriations for the payment of revolutionary and invalid pensioners

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appropriated, to be paid out of any money in the Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, for paying revolutionary and invalid pensioners, viz:

For payment of Revolutionary pensioners, for the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one, one million eleven thousand and one hundred dollars.

For paying the invalid pensioners, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one, two hundred and seventy-six thousand seven hundred and twenty dollars, in addition to the unexpended balance of appropriation for invalid pensioners of twenty-nine thousand two hundred and forty-six dollars ninety-five

legislation, and many of their establishments are too large and too expensive. But this evil is more apparent to the general government. If there be a government on earth whose duties are merely to protect, it is that of the United States under the present construction. Nor does its protecting power, except in a very limited degree, extend to a protection of individuals in their personal rights and rights of property; that is left to the States. It merely protects individuals from a violation of contracts by the States in their legislation; but its chief object and duties are, the protection of the states from foreign invasion and intestine war. To furnish it with means, it has been clothed with power to raise armies and navies, regulate commerce, and levy such taxes as may be necessary to support and pay those whom it employs as its instruments. But when it turns its power inwardly, endeavors to change the relations between state and state, forces men out of one employment into another, by its legislation, taxes the poor to create monopolies in the rich, and uses unnecessary and oppressive exactions to buy over sections of country to the support of particular men, at the same time accumulating to itself undue influence and power, it is attempting to govern too much and requires reform.

How happy it would be for mankind, if government would confine itself to protection, and permit every man to follow the pursuit of his choice, and enjoy the proceeds of his labor! Discontent, wars and revolutions would cease, because there would be no cause of complaint.

How happy would it be for America [illegible]

January, 1833, Judge Hall moved to Cincinnati, where he published *The Western Monthly Magazine, a Continuation of the Illinois Monthly Magazine* until December, 1835. Hall was the chief contributor, and in such articles as Notes on Illinois, People and Manners, and Customs of the West, and in essays on educational topics, stories such as The Missionaries, The Indian Wife's Lament, The Money Diggers, and many poems, he realized the ideal suggested in an article on Periodicals which he published in the number for April, 1831: "Our editors have become too formal and stately, and fastidious. . . . Instead of the infinite variety of topics, which once gave interest to works of this description, nothing is now admitted but reviews, tales and poetry. . . . Nothing will go down but trifles, cold, formal, and empty. . . . I am much better pleased with the good old-fashioned magazines . . . . within whose well furnished pages, the reader, whatever might be his taste, was sure to find something agreeable." Among those who helped to satisfy in the pages of the *Monthly* the varied tastes of Illinoisans were Morris Birkbeck, John M. Peck, Governor Edward Coles, Dr. Asa Fitch, George Russell, and Salmon P. Chase. "The *Illinois Monthly Magazine* was one of the most typical of the western journals," remarks William C. Cairns, in his monograph *On the Development of American Literature from 1815 to 1833.* "Raw and crude as the West was, there is a *fin de siècle* tone to these publications that is not found in the eastern magazines." Vol. 1 is in the Champaign Public Library. **HL**

ILLINOIS WHIG, 1831–1832+: Edited by S. C. Sherman. It became

VANDALIA WHIG AND ILLINOIS INTELLIGENCER, +March 28, 1832–1834(?): A combination of *Illinois Whig* and *Illinois Intelligencer.* Greiner and Sherman were editors and publishers in 1832–1833; S. C. Sherman in 1834. Continued until 1839, according to the Wisconsin list. No copies later than 1834 are found. **SAEH**

GAZETTE, 1831– ——(?).

ILLINOIS ADVOCATE, +January 5,–April 13, 1833+: A Whig paper moved from Edwardsville by John York Sawyer. Title changed to **ASH**

ILLINOIS ADVOCATE AND STATE REGISTER, +April 13, 1833–April 15, 1835+: Conducted under this title by John York Sawyer until April 15, 1835, when title was changed to

ILLINOIS ADVOCATE, +April 15, 1835–March 8, 1836+: Semi-weekly. Continued by John York Sawyer until his death, March 8, 1836, when the property was bought by William Walters and the publication resumed as **ESHAU**

ILLINOIS STATE REGISTER AND ILLINOIS ADVOCATE, +March 25–June 17, 1836+: Published by William Walters as a Democratic organ. He dropped *Illinois Advocate* from the title, and substituted **SHA**

ILLINOIS STATE REGISTER AND PEOPLE'S ADVOCATE, +June 24, 1836–August 2, 1839+: Walters continued the publication in the support of Democracy until August 2, 1839, when it was moved to Springfield, where publication was resumed on August 10(?), 1839, as *Illinois State Register*. Walters did the public printing under contract with Seth T. Sawyer for the benefit of the widow of John York Sawyer, until at the legislative session of 1836–1837, Walters was elected public printer. **SA**

ILLINOIS STATE REGISTER, February 11–March 18, 1836+: Established by William Walters, and by him combined with *Illinois Advocate* on March 25, 1836. **S**

FREE PRESS, May 13, 1836–1837+: William Hodge was editor, Hodge and Shrader, publishers. Between March and October, 1837, the title was changed to **AH**

FREE PRESS AND ILLINOIS WHIG, +1837–1841(?): William Hodge was editor and publisher until the fall of 1839, when Hodge and Abbott were publishers. The paper was suspended for a while in the fall of 1839. It seems that James Kennaday bought the paper in 1841 and discontinued it for about two years. **H**

FREEMAN, June, 1842–——(?): Edited and published by James Kennaday. This paper was violently opposed to Ford's candidacy for governor. It accused him of being a Mormon sympathiser and in favor of transferring fourteen northern counties to Wisconsin, that they might escape the state debt. Duncan was its candidate. Probably short lived, or became *Free Press*. **A**

FREE PRESS, 1843–——(?): A revival of the earlier *Free Press*. James Kennaday was publisher, Q. C. Alexander and James Kennaday editors until July 20, 1844, when Alexander withdrew. Violently Whig. **H**

OLIVE LEAF, 1843–1845: Edited by Kellam and Lothrop. It was a Baptist journal but also had a secular department.

ILLINOIS SENTINEL, November 8, 1839–1846(?): Edited by John McDonald. Democratic. **A**

BAPTIST HELMET, November 8, 1844–1845(?): Established by S. K. Kellam, who at first was editor and publisher. E. W. Young soon became associated with Kellam in publishing the *Helmet* According to its motto, the paper was "devoted to religious truth and practical godliness." It gave much space to general news, and was unusually moderate and sane. **H**

FAYETTE YEOMAN AND RAILROAD JOURNAL, June 23, 1849–(after May 3, 1851): Established, edited, and published by James Kennaday. Eminently insipid. It was friendly to the administration, but shows no traces of political interest. Before No. 19 the title was changed by dropping *and Railroad Journal.* H

AGE OF STEAM AND FIRE, 1852–1854+(?): Edited and published in August, 1853, by H. P. H. Bromwell, who either discontinued it or changed the title to *Age of Steam.* F

AGE OF STEAM, April 9, 1854–1855+: Apparently established by H. P. H. Bromwell, it was by the seventh number published by Morras and Russell, with W. P. Morras as editor. Then Morras withdrew, and after a brief suspension Thomas J. Russell alone continued the publication with no. 9, which appeared July 15, 1854, until after June 23, 1855. Disclaiming political partisanship, the paper showed Whig tendencies, but was especially notable for its distinctly literary tone. It is said in the history of Fayette county that the paper passed into the possession of H. P. H. Bromwell, who styled it *Age of Steam and Fire*,[1] and that he later sold to Tevis Greathouse, who changed the name to H

FAYETTE OBSERVER, +1855–1862: Edited by Tevis Greathouse (with a brief intermission during which time it was edited by Mr. Davis), 1855–1859; Messrs. Sturgess and Hickman, 1859–1862. It represented Democracy until 1860 when it became Republican. F

FAYETTE DEMOCRAT, 1858 to date: Founded by some leading Democrats of the place, and placed under the management of Messrs. Carman and Flynn. The publication was very irregular until it came into the hands of Charles G. Smith in 1863. Charles G. Smith and Son are the present editors and publishers.

VANDALIAN, February 27, 1858–——(?): Edited and published by G. B. Miller and N. C. Davis. F

UNION, April, 1864 to date: Established by H. S. Humphrey. In 1868 Humphrey sold a half interest to Will Richards. They sold in 1887 to Lon S. Matherly and J. F. Sayles, who sold in 1893 to T. N., Ira D., and Jesse Lakin, who under the name of T. N. Lakin and Sons still conduct the paper. Republican. H

FAYETTE COUNTY NEWS, February, 1878–1881: H. R. Miller was editor and publisher. Sold after nearly three years to Rudolph Ernst, who removed it. Republican. H

ILLINOIS MEDICAL RECORDER, 1878–1880: R. E. Beach, M.D., was editor and publisher in 1879. Medical monthly.

[1] This statement in the county history is probably erroneous. Existing numbers of the two papers show that *Age of Steam and Fire* preceded *Age of Steam.* A second change is improbable.—F. W. S.

VARNA, MARSHALL COUNTY

COURIER, 1870–1872: Established by Andrew J. Bell; Bell and Wilson were editors and publishers in 1872.

JOURNAL, 1872: Edited and published by E. F. Baldwin.

VERMONT, FULTON COUNTY

WATCH TOWER, 1861(?): Listed without details in Kenny's *American Newspaper Directory* for 1861.

CHRONICLE, 1870–1879(?)–1881 to date. Established by George L. and Edward P. Durell. F. P. Hallowell was editor for four or five months, when George L. Durrell purchased his brother's interest and became editor and proprietor. W. L. Ketchum purchased the paper in 1879, but withdrew in a short time. G. L. Durell resumed his former post. Later (in 1879) A. D. Stapleford was editor and publisher. The paper was evidently discontinued, and in 1881 revived by E. P. and G. L. Durell. Republican. In 1907 C. M. Mercer was editor and publisher.

HERALD, 1869–1870: A Republican paper edited and published by E. C. Bennet.

VERSAILLES, BROWN COUNTY

WEEKLY INDEPENDENT, July, 1877–1878: Twenty-nine numbers were published at irregular intervals. Walker and Mehl were editors and proprietors.

VIENNA, JOHNSON COUNTY

EGYPTIAN ARTERY, 1865–1872+: Wright and Company were editors and publishers. Republican. Name changed to

JOHNSON COUNTY HERALD, +1873: Published by Wright and Company. Republican.

JOHNSON COUNTY JOURNAL, 1874 to date (1891): A. J. Alden was editor and publisher in 1874–1875; W. E. Chitwood was editor, J. J. Penny, publisher, 1876; J. B. Chapman, 1877; Milton A. Smith, 1879–1891. Independent. By 1891 it had become an exponent of Prohibition. In 1881 this paper was dated also from New Burnside. U

JOHNSON COUNTY YEOMAN, 1874 to date (1879): John T. Keith was editor and publisher in 1876; T. G. Farris, Jr., 1877–1879. Democratic. U

NEWS, 1873–1874: George W. Johnston was editor and publisher.

TIMES, 1879 to date: A. K. Vickers and Brother were editors and publishers in 1880; Edward Morton, 1882; T. J. Parker, 1884. In 1885 William Henry Gilliam and G. W. Ballance bought the paper. W. H. Gilliam was editor and publisher in 1891 and is so at present. Republican.

VIRDEN, MACOUPIN COUNTY

RECORD, August, 1866, to date: Established by Reynolds and Milton. After six months of intermittent solvency they sold to a Mr. Johnson, who in October sold one half interest to W. F. Thompson, and in November sold the other half to E. L. Rich. Thompson bought out Rich in 1870, and in 1879 was still owner and publisher. In August, 1885, Thompson sold a half interest to E. P. Kimball, and in 1887 Kimball became and has continued sole owner and editor. Neutral, then Democratic.

NEWS, April, 1872–1874: Established by R. H. Ballinger and John Frank. Publication ceased after a year. Revived by A. M. Barker, April, 1873(?) and continued till August, 1874. A Republican paper.

CONSERVATIVE, March–June, 1868: Edited and owned by George H. Holliday and published by the Macoupin Printing Company. A Democratic paper.

REPORTER, 1879 to date: Established by A. M. Barker, who published it one year; then A. G. David and Company one year; E. P. Kimball, one year; B. Brown one year; then George H. Sewall until 1897, when he sold to John R. Underwood, who still is editor and publisher. A Republican paper.

VIRGINIA, CASS COUNTY

OBSERVER, April 12, 1848–1849: A Democratic paper established "by Henry H. Hall, and two or three other young men, for the advancement of the town." Mark W. Delahay was editor, and A. S. Tilden after a time did the rest of the work connected with issuing the paper, John J. Ingalls assisted Delahay for a few weeks. At the end of a year the plant was sold to Tilden, who removed it to Naples. U

OWL, 1848–1849: A scandal-mongering "society" paper published in the winter of 1848–1849 by a compositor named Dedrich.

CASS COUNTY TIMES, September 9, 1856–1859: Established by Richard S. Thomas as a neutral in politics to promote the interests of a proposed railroad of which he was president. He sold early in 1858 to John Bradley Thompson, who employed Rev. J. S. McDowell to edit, and Robert M. Taggart to publish the sheet. This arrangement continued until late in 1858, when Thompson sold to Taggart. In the fall of 1859 the paper was suspended and the plant reverted to Thomas, who sold it to Hezekiah Naylor.

CASS COUNTY INDEPENDENT, January, 1860–April, 1861: Established by Hezekiah Naylor and Lafayette Briggs. At first the paper was neutral in politics, but Briggs soon withdrew to permit

Naylor to make it radically Republican. R. S. Thomas was at this time, according to Dr. John F. Snyder, editor sub-rosa. The paper suspended publication in April, 1861, and was removed by Naylor to Pekin.

CASS COUNTY UNION, August, 1860–1864: Founded by Democrats, including Jacob Dunaway, Jacob Ward, William Petefish; edited and managed by Lafayette Briggs. Briggs left the paper in 1863 and was succeeded by Stearns DeWitt Rich, who stayed by the paper until its death in the spring of 1864.

CASS COUNTY DEMOCRAT, May 8, 1866–1868+: Established by M. B. Friend, editor and publisher, backed by N. B. Beers, Sam Petefish, and "Bill" Easley. After six months M. B. Friend and Charles H. Whitaker were publishers and proprietors, but Whitaker soon passed on. In June, 1867, Friend sold to James A. Martin, and the paper was then issued by Martin and John W. Gill. Gill soon disappeared. O. T. Roderick became publisher, J. K. Vandemark, editor. Roderick and Vandemark soon disappeared. Martin withdrew his support as "proprietor," and N. B. Beers and Company leased the establishment to J. G. Fuss and J. N. Gridley. Fuss was editor and Gridley business manager. To avoid complications with Martin, who indicated a desire to continue a paper under the title of *Democrat*, the name was changed by Fuss and Gridley to

CASS COUNTY TIMES. +1868–January, 1870: Conducted by J. G. Fuss, editor, and J. N. Gridley, manager, until November, 1869, after which date it was continued by Beers and Company, with J. K. Vandemark as editor until January, 1870.

CASS COUNTY COURIER, July 25, 1866–1870+: A Republican paper established by John S. Harper, editor. After a few numbers L. S. Allard appeared as editor and proprietor. In 1867 he turned the paper over to LeRoy Carpenter, who was succeeded by H. C. Allard, son of L. S. Allard in 1868, and in 1870 the name was changed to

VIRGINIA COURIER, +November, 1870–October, 1871+: By October, 1871, H. C. Allard had become owner as well as editor, and the name was changed back to

CASS COUNTY COURIER, +October, 1871–1872+: Allard sold an interest in the paper to N. M. Purviance, but soon bought it back. The paper declined. Allard sold a half interest to Matthew Summers in 1872, and they continued the paper as

GAZETTE, +February 23, 1872 to date: W. M. Summers and H. C. Allard were editors and publishers. March 14, 1873, Allard sold to Summers. In August, 1875, Summers sold an interest to Joseph Anderson, who became associated with Summers as

one of the publishers. Summers died late in 1875 or early in 1876. The paper suffered a brief suspension, but resumed on February 26, 1876, with A. M. Brownlee and H. C. Allard as editors. Allard withdrew in August, 1877; Brownlee sold to Trevanyon L. Mathews and a Mr. Thacker; Mathews, 1878; H. C. Allard, 1879–1881. Allard sold in April, 1881, to C. M. Tinney, who has conducted the *Gazette* since that time. Republican.

JEFFERSONIAN, April 2, 1870–December, 1873: Established by John J. Bunce and run by him alone for eighteen months; then by Bunce and S. L. Gannaway until September, 1872; then by Bunce until the paper was discontinued, December 26, 1873. Democratic.

ENQUIRER, July 3, 1875 to date: Established by Reemtsen and Company (Reemtsen and John S. Harper). After nine weeks Harper was alone as editor and publisher. He sold in November to a syndicate composed of Nace Skiles, "Bill" Easley, Charles A. Crandall, Cash Whitney, Sam Petefish and others, and the paper was continued by Thomas M. Thompson, editor; J. J. Bunce, publisher; Charles A. Crandall, manager. After a few weeks the syndicate sold to W. T. Dowdall; William T. Dowdall and Company became publishers and Forrest H. Mitchell manager in January, 1876. R. E. Lauren succeeded Mitchell in September. Dowdall sold to John Frank, March 23, 1877, and J. M. Beatty became editor for a short time. Frank left in September, 1882; R. H. Norfolk was editor until March 29, 1884; then J. M. Beatty until November 15, 1890, when he sold to Charles A. and William A. Schaffer. The last named dropped out in April, 1891; in September 26, 1891, Charles A. Schaffer sold to Finis E. Downing. He was succeeded by his son H. F. Downing, September 7, 1899, who was editor and publisher until March 2, 1903, when Downing and Albert E. Hinners became editors and publishers. Democratic. A daily was started September 23, 1881, but continued three days only.

TEMPERANCE BUGLE, July, 1876–February 27, 1879: Established by Albert F. Smith as a monthly. After eight numbers it was issued semi-monthly, December 1, 1876–August 1, 1878, then weekly.

HARPER'S WEEKLY HERALD, May 21, 1878–1879: Established by J. Sterling (otherwise John S.) Harper "as an advertising sheet especially, and a political feeler in general." Moved away in the summer of 1879.

WALNUT, BUREAU COUNTY

MOTOR, July, 1876, to date (1898): Established by S. J. Townsend. In 1879 Vosburgh and Chaddock were editors and publishers. John I. Vosburgh was editor and publisher in 1880; in 1882, C. G. Glenn. In 1883 the paper passed into the hands of William Wilson, who was still conducting it in 1891; W. S. Mayhall in 1895–1898. Files of *Motor* were burned in July, 1890. Independent.

WARREN, JO DAVIESS COUNTY

REPUBLICAN, 1856–1857: Published one year by C. W. Blaisdell. Favored Fremont's nomination in 1860.

INDEPENDENT, 1857–1866: Started by Freeman A. Tisdell, Sr., and Thomas E. Champion; George A. Randall, editor. After several changes Herst C. Gann became editor and proprietor. Changed to

SENTINEL, +1866 to date: Herst C. Gann continued as editor and publisher. In 1900 the paper joined with the *Leader* to become the *Sentinel-Leader*. The *Sentinel-Leader* Printing Company, Herst C. Gann, president, are the present editors and publishers. A Republican paper. Files are in the office.

WARSAW, HANCOCK COUNTY

WESTERN WORLD, 1840–1841+: Edited by D. N. White. Whig. Changed to

SIGNAL, +1841–1843: Edited by T. C. Sharp. Whig. In 1843 the office came into the possession of Thomas Gregg and William Y. Patch, and they issued the **LE**

MESSAGE, +January, 1843–1844+: A Whig paper. In 1844 the office and material reverted to Mr. Sharp, who, sometimes alone and sometimes with a partner, published the **LF**

SIGNAL, +1844–1847+: Sharp and Galloway, 1845; Gregg and Miller, 1847–1850. In 1850 it was sold to James McKee, of the Nauvoo *Patriot*, and he established the Warsaw **HL**

COMMERCIAL JOURNAL, +1850–1853+: Mr. McKee sold it to Dr. Rankin and he removed it to La Harpe, where it was known as the *Hancock Democrat*, (which see.) In 1851 Mr. Gregg procured an old press and some material and revived the

SIGNAL, +1851–1853+: In 1853 it was sold to T. C. Sharp and its name was changed to the **L**

EXPRESS, +1853–1855: Issued weekly and edited by T. C. Sharp. He sold it to G. G. Galloway.

HANCOCK DEMOCRAT, 1844, four issues: Printed at the office of the *Signal* for Mr. E. A. Bedell. Its purpose was to advocate the claims of Jacob C. Davis for Congress, but he failing of the nomination, the paper was discontinued. **L**

TEMPERANCE CRUSADER, 1854: Appeared monthly. Published at *Express* office by Mr. Gregg. In a few months it reached a circulation of 1700 copies, mainly through the agency of the Sons of Temperance. It came to an end by being merged with a similar sheet published in Chicago.

CITY BULLETIN, March 21, 1856 to date: For the first few numbers entitled *Bulletin.* Its editor was W. K. Davison. He entered the army, leaving the paper in charge of John F. Howe, who in 1863 allowed it to die. In 1866 it was revived as the *Bulletin* by F. A. Dallam, who was succeeded by his son, Frank M. Dallam. The latter was editor and publisher in 1869. In 1879 another son, Phil Dallam, was editor and publisher, and has so continued. For a short time under Davison the paper was issued as a daily. A Republican paper. **ULF**

HANCOCK NEW ERA, April, 1864–1865: Conducted by Thomas C. Sharp in the interest of the Union Leagues of the county. **L**

PUBLIC RECORD, 1865–1867+: Established by a Mr. Lick, who in 1867 was succeeded by Francis Asbury Dallam. He soon changed the name to

HANCOCK DEMOCRAT, +1867–1879: Established by J. M. Faris. Bought by George P. Walker and Cortez Maxwell. Walker retired after a few months, and Maxwell discontinued the paper in 1879. **L**

COURIER, 1871–1874: Established by Theo. Bischof. Printed at the office of the Keokuk *Post.*

WASHBURN, WOODFORD COUNTY

REVEILLE, 1872 to date (1884): In 1879 N. V. Maloney was editor. The publishers were the Reveille Publishing Company. Maloney's name does not appear in 1884. The paper was printed at the office of the Sparland *Chronicle.* Republican.

SENTINEL, 1876 to date (1891): Power and Harl were editors and publishers, 1877–1879; E. R. Harl, 1880 to the end. A Democratic paper, printed at the office of the Metamora *Woodford Sentinel.*

WASHINGTON, TAZEWELL COUNTY

INVESTIGATOR, 1857–about 1860: Established by Dr. A. A. Couch and Albert Parker. Some of the files are in possession of Mrs. J. F. Hoover of Peoria, a daughter of Dr. Couch. **F**

HERALD, July, 1868 (after 1891): Established by Thomas Handsaker, and conducted by him until his death in 1881. Nuding and Nicolai bought the paper at that time and sold to Mr. Henny. A. H. Heiple bought from Henny and consolidated the *Herald* with the *Republican* between 1891 and 1895. Independent. Files destroyed.

TAZEWELL INDEPENDENT, November, 1876, to date: Established by H. A. Pilaster and George N. Bondurant. Bondurant soon sold out. E. E. Heiple became part owner and later sole owner and editor. Afterward he turned it over to his son, A. H. Heiple, who conducted it under the name *Independent*, then *Republican*, and later *News*, until 1901, when he sold to F. B. Mills; he to C. M. Ritter and Ralph E. Kirby in 1908. February 15, 1909, Ritter sold his interest to Ralph E. Kirby, who is now editor and proprietor. Partial files in *News* office.

WATERLOO, MONROE COUNTY

INDEPENDENT DEMOCRAT, 1843–1845+: Edited by Elam Rust. Changed to

WAR EAGLE, +1845–1847(?): A Democratic paper, also edited by Elam Rust. Listed in 1847 as still published.

PATRIOT, 1852–1858: A Democratic paper edited by a Mr. Abbott Its publication was suspended a short time in 1857–1858. In 1856 Abbott sold to H. C. Talbott and it was consolidated for a time with the F

MONROE ADVERTISER, 1851–1856: Edited by H. C. Talbott. Publication of the *Advertiser* was soon stopped, but that of the *Patriot* was continued. Several copies owned by Mrs. Fannie I. Ballard, Chester, Ill.

MONROE DEMOCRAT, 1856: Edited by William Keelman and managed by H. C. Talbott for a company. German.

ADVOCATE, 1858–1890+: The editors, in turn, for a joint stock company were James Sennott, James A. Kennedy, Mr. Weedin, J. C. Goethe, J. F. Gotshall, 1862–1875. In 1875 Mr. Gotshall purchased the stock of the company, and was still editor and publisher in 1879. A Democratic paper in 1879; Independent-Democratic in 1881. It is listed in Ayer in 1881 as *Dollar Advocate*. It was succeeded by the *Republican* in January, 1890. H. C. Voris was editor and publisher of the *Republican* in 1907. Files of the *Advocate* are in the *Republican* office.

MONROE DEMOCRAT, 1868: Edited and published by Julius Von Reichenstein. Seven numbers were issued, then it was suspended. German.

TIMES, 1872 to date: Established by R. F. Brown. In 1873 it was purchased by Alfred Ferguson and C. F. Vangorder. In 1874 Ferguson sold his interest to R. T. Melvill. In 1885 Melvill retired and Vangorder continued sole proprietor until 1876, when he failed. The office passed into the possession of the Kellogg Newspaper Company of St. Louis. They placed a man in charge, but after a short time sold the paper to a joint company with Vangorder as editor and manager. He was succeeded by Peter W. Baker, who conducted the paper for three years. Then Henry Talbott took charge for a short time. In 1880 George E. Jahn succeeded Mr. Talbott, and was succeeded by J. A. Krepps. In 1907 Nelson A. Rickert was editor and publisher. A Democratic paper.

WATERMAN, DEKALB COUNTY

FREE PRESS, 1873–1876: H. F. Bloodgood was editor and publisher. Printed at the office of the Sandwich *Free Press*.

LEADER, 1878 to date: An edition of the Hinckley *Review*.

WATSEKA, IROQUOIS COUNTY

MIDDLEPORT PRESS, 1854–1856: Files are in possession of L. F. Watson of Watseka.

IROQUOIS REPUBLICAN, 1856–1872: Published and edited by Joseph Graham, 1856: Franklin Blades, 1856–1860. (See *Iroquois Republican*, Middleport.) In 1869, Z. Beatty was editor and publisher. The paper was changed to the Watseka

REPUBLICAN, 1872 to date: Published by Z. Beatty until April, 1873; Alexander L. Whitehall and Elmer Brimhall, April, 1873–August, 1876; Elmer Brimhall, August, 1876–August, 1877; Lorenzo Watson and H. A. Jerauld, August 1, 1877–October 1, 1878; Lorenzo F. Watson was in 1880 sole proprietor and publisher, and has been so since October 1, 1878. In 1907 B. F. Shankland was editor; the Watseka Republican Company, publishers. Files are in the office except for 1859–1867. U

IROQUOIS COUNTY HERALD, October, +1867–1869: Established at Middleport about October 1, 1865; moved to Watseka about February 1, 1867; edited by Charles Jouvenat from a date some time after the removal until the spring of 1869, when the *Herald* ceased to exist.

IROQUOIS TIMES, +May, 1871–1875(?)+: Originally the Onarga *Times;* moved to Watseka in 1871. December, 1872, the office was sold to Colonel M. H. Peters, who edited the paper from January, 1872, to June 5, 1874. From this date till August, 1875,

Otto H. Wangelin was in control. He sold to Auguste Langellier, August, 1875. Under the latter's management, the name was changed to the

Iroquois County Times, +1875(?) to date: The change of name occurred some time between August, 1875, and July 1, 1878(?). At the later date, Colonel M. H. Peters again purchased the office, and in 1891 was still sole editor and proprietor. Edwin Beard was editor in 1895. Orginally Independent–Republican, the *Times* was later Independent and supported the Greenback party, and still later was Democratic. By 1907 the *Times* had been united with the *Democrat* and the *Iroquois County Times-Democrat* was being edited and published by Matthew P. Kelly. **H**

WAUKEGAN, LAKE COUNTY

Little Fort Porcupine and Democratic Banner, 1845–1847: Fuller; edited by A. B. Wynkoop. It was the first paper published in Lake County. Files are owned by the *Gazette*. (See Little Fort.) **H**

Lake County Herald, 1845–1846: Edited by N. P. and S. M. Dowst. Whig.

Lake County Visiter, 1847– ——(?): (See Little Fort.) **H**

Lake County Chronicle, 1847–1855+: Published by W. H. H. Tobey and Company and edited by A. C. Tobey; merged in 1855 with *Freeman's Advocate*. The new paper was called the *Chronicle and Advocate*, later the *Independent Democrat*. **F**

Free Democrat, August 1, 1849–February 1, 1850: John Henderson, publisher, and N. W. Fuller, editor.

Cody's Advertiser, 1849– ——(?). **N**

Gazette, October, 1850 to date: Nathan C. Geer was publisher, 1850–1858; James Y. Cory, editor and publisher, 1858–1871; Rev. A. K. Fox and C. A. Partridge, 1871; C. A. and H. E. Partridge, 1871–1885; Reuben W. Coon, 1885–1897. Frank H. Hall succeeded Coon in 1897; and the same year, the *Gazette* having absorbed the *Daily and Weekly Register*, the combined interests were acquired by DeKay Brothers. Under the name of the Gazette Publishing Company, they published the paper till July 7, 1899. From that date until 1902 or after the stock was in other hands and W. L. Farmer was editor. In 1907 W. J. Smith was editor; the Gazette Publishing Company were publishers. Established as a Republican weekly. Since 1902 there has been a daily edition. There had been a daily edition for a few weeks in 1854 and a semi-weekly edition for a short time. Files are complete in office. **EUF**

FREEMAN'S ADVOCATE, February 3, 1854–1855+: Established by John Gentzel. In about a year it was sold to S. I. Bradbury and E. S. Ingalls, who at the same time purchased the *Lake County Chronicle*. They were combined under the name of the F

CHRONICLE AND ADVOCATE, +1855+: Which was afterward changed to

INDEPENDENT DEMOCRAT, +1855–1857: Still edited by Messrs. Bradbury and Ingalls. Upon the suspension of publication at the beginning of 1857, the subscription list was sold to the *Gazette*.

NORTHWESTERN ORIENT, 1856+: Published by J. H. Brundage and edited by J. C. Smith and Ira Porter. March, 1856, the Rockford *Spirit Advocate* was united with the *Orient*, the headquarters remaining at Waukegan. It was succeeded by the

NORTHWESTERN EXCELSIOR, +1856–1859(?): Published and edited for a few months by Ira Porter and J C. Smith; by Pooler and Kribs in 1858. A Spiritualist paper. F

LAKE COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1857–1861: Established by Samuel I. Bradbury, editor; continued to June, 1861, when it was suspended. Its publication was resumed in 1866 by Mr. Bradbury, under the title of

LAKE COUNTY PATRIOT, 1866–1897+: Mr. Bradbury was still editor and publisher in 1869. George W. Blair, editor, 1878–1882; Dewitt H. Bradbury, followed by Samuel H. Bradbury, 1882–1897. In 1897 consolidated with the Waukegan *Daily and Weekly Sun*, A. K. Stearns, editor and publisher.

LAKE COUNTY CITIZEN, January, 1859–1860: Published one year by Fuller and Bailey. This is the same Fuller who was previously connected with the *Visiter* and with the *Porcupine*.

LAKE COUNTY TIDINGS, 1879–——(?)+: Published for three months in 1879 by J. W. Green, then by John A. Avery, who changed the name to

LAKE COUNTY REPUBLICAN, +1879–1883: Published by John A. Avery; in 1883, absorbed by the *Gazette*.

WAVERLY, MORGAN COUNTY

GAZETTE, 1869–1870: Established by M. J. Abbott and W. D. Pemberton. In a few months Mr. Abbott bought Mr. Pemberton's interest. In 1870 the paper was sold to Richard Ballenger who removed the press to Virden. In 1872 John H. Goldsmith purchased it and brought it back to Waverly, when he changed the name to.

TIMES, 1872–1874: Established by John H. Goldsmith. After six months it was suspended for nine months. Mr. Goldsmith then

resuscitated the paper, but in three months it was again suspended. In 1874 W. T. Lakin purchased the material and published fifty-two numbers. It was then again suspended. In 1876 R. V. Mallory bought the office and started the

MORGAN COUNTY JOURNAL, 1876 to date: Established by R. V. Mallory. In 1876 Milton M. Meacham purchased a half interest and came into full possession in 1877. In 1879 Mr. Mallory was editor and Mr. Meacham publisher. Milton M. Meacham was editor in 1882–1884; Frederick B. Ritchie, 1891 till after 1895. John H. Goldsmith was a later editor. At some time previous to 1907 the *Journal* was consolidated with the *Enterprise*. The *Journal-Enterprise* was edited in 1907 by B. Reinbach and published by the Waverly Journal Company (Inc.). Independent in politics.

TEMPERANCE BANNER, 1874–1875: Established by Lakin and Palmer.

WAYNE, DUPAGE COUNTY

CENTRAL NEWS, 1861(?): Listed, without details, in Kenny's *American Newspaper Directory* for 1861.

WENONA, MARSHALL COUNTY

SENTINEL, 1864–1865: Published for one year by L. B. Barnes.

NEWS INDEX, February, 1865–1870(?)+: Established by Grable and Crosby. In August, 1865, Mr. Grable was sole owner one week; August, 1865–February, 1867, Mr. Crosby; February, 1867–June, 1868, William Parker; June, 1868–June, 1870, William Parker and Cadet Taylor; June, 1870–——(?). Mr. Taylor who changed the name to the

INDEX, +1870(?)–July, 1908: Cadet Taylor, Taylor Brothers, (Cadet and W. B.), and H. L. Taylor were successively editors and publishers. Independent within Republican limits.

OUR BOYS' INTELLECT, 1869: An amateur paper published and printed by Charles S. Diehl, now of the Associated Press.

TRIBUNE, 1875: Established by Mr. Burroughs, who discontinued it after three months.

WEST CHICAGO, COOK COUNTY

UNION PARK ADVOCATE, 1872–1874: Charles E. Crandall was editor and publisher. An advertising sheet. U

WESTFIELD, CLARK COUNTY

INDEX, 1877 to date (1879): In 1879 G. L. Watson was editor and publisher. Independent.

PANTAGRAPH, 1879 to date (1884): M. R. Bair was editor and publisher, 1880; S. W. Zeller, 1882; U. P. Shull, 1884. An Independent paper. H

WESTON, McLEAN COUNTY

MONITOR, 1873–1874: John and Bovard were editors and publishers, 1874; Bovard Brothers, 1875.

GAZETTE, 1876 to date (1879): C. W. Stickney was editor and publisher in 1879. The paper was printed at the office of the Chenoa *Gazette*.

WHEATON, DuPAGE COUNTY

DuPAGE COUNTY GAZETTE, June, 1856–1857: Edited by L. E. De Wolf and J. A. J. Birdsall. F

FLAG, 1857–1860(?): Established by Nathaniel H. Lewis. Burned out about 1860.

NORTHERN ILLINOIAN, 1859 (1861?)–1870+: Established by Henry C. Childs. In 1862–1864 Benjamin F. Taylor was literary editor. In 1867 Childs sold to John A. Whitlock, who sold in 1870 to J. Russell Smith. It was a Republican paper. Smith changed the name to E

ILLINOIAN, +1870 to date: Republican, still conducted in 1882 by J. Russell Smith. Newton E. Matter purchased the *Illinoian* February 18, 1889, and was publisher until February 20, 1909. He then sold the office to C. H. Plummer.

COLLEGE RECORD, 1875 to date (1881): Monthly, issued during the college year. In 1879 John D. Nutting was editor; Literary Union of Wheaton College, publishers.

BEOBACHTER (or *DuPage County Zeitung*?), 1878–1880: A German paper dated at Wheaton and Chicago, edited and published by Paul Geleff.

CHRISTIAN CYNOSURE: See Chicago.

WHITE HALL, GREENE COUNTY

REGISTER, 1869 to date: Established and published by I. H. Davis and F. Glossop. In three months Glossop retired. In 1870 Davis sold out to Charles H. Johnson. In 1875 the White Hall Register Company, with Henry Johnson as president, and Charles H. Johnson as secretary and treasurer, took charge. In 1882 Fletcher Cain became editor and proprietor. In 1883 the paper passed into the hands of Palmer and Roberts, and the offices were changed to Roodhouse. In 1884 Mr. Palmer retired and in that year the office was returned to White Hall. Three months later the office and contents were destroyed by fire, but the

paper did not miss an issue, being printed in the office of the Carrollton *Gazette* until 1885. In 1885 Mr. Owings was partner for a short time. W. J. Roberts became proprietor. Harry E. Bell was editor and publisher in 1907. In 1881 the *Register* was printing editions under the names of *Locomotive*, Greenfield; *Express*, Kane; and *Signal*, Roodhouse, all in Greene county. Democratic.

GREEN COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1875–1877: In 1875–1876 C. M. Tucker was editor, James Smith publisher; a year later John M. Faris was editor and publisher.

REPUBLICAN, 1877 to date: Established by E. J. Pearce and C. L. Clapp; published on the press of the Carrollton *Patriot*, of which Mr. Clapp was editor. In May, 1883, Clapp retired, and Captain Pearce became sole proprietor. He bought the White Hall *Tribune*, (established 1882), which he consolidated with the *Republican*, thereby becoming able to print his journal at home. In September, 1884, Captain Pearce began the *Evening Republican*, and both papers remained under his management continuously until his death in April, 1907. His children have conducted the paper since that date with R. B. Pearce as publisher. The *Republican* is on file in the office. A part of the weekly edition was printed under the name of *Scott County Arrow*, Manchester, from 1879 to 1907, with E. J. Pearce as publisher.

WILMINGTON, WILL COUNTY

HERALD, 1854–1856(?): Established by D. H. Berdine, owned by a local stock company. After less than a year William H. Clark was put in charge. He moved the office later to Kendall county. F

INDEPENDENT, 1861–1873: A Republican paper, established by W. R. Steel; sold in 1871 to Alexander McIntosh. H. H. Parkinson leased it in 1872. It was discontinued in 1873.

PEOPLE'S ADVOCATE, June, 1870 to date: A Democratic paper, started by Jacob H. Warner. Edward D. Conley became part owner and chief editor in February, 1871, sole owner in May, 1872, and was still editor and publisher in 1884. Quinn and Company, 1891 and 1895; Don A. Spurr was editor in 1907 and Quinn and Odell, publishers. The paper was Independent in politics until past 1881. In 1907 it was Republican. In Rowell, 1879, and in Ayer, 1881 and 1907, this paper is listed as *Advocate*.

REVIEW, 1877 to date (1895): A. M. Stephenson was editor and publisher in 1882 and 1884; Stephenson and Stiles in 1891; J. H. Warner in 1895. Semi-weekly. Independent in politics.

PHOENIX, 1877–1880: C. Hill Duck was editor and publisher. An Independent paper, published at the office of the Joliet *Phœnix.*

WINCHESTER, SCOTT COUNTY

VOICE OF TRUTH, ——(?)–——(?): A Baptist publication edited by Alvin Bailey at some time in 1838–1843.

BATTLE AXE, November 23, 1841–1843: Removed from Exeter by James M. Ruggles and continued by him until June or July, 1843. In the number for June 10, he announced that about July 1 he would begin the publication of *People's Oracle*, but apparently he established instead the

REPUBLICAN, December 14, 1844–(?): James M. Ruggles was owner; Knapp and Ruggles were editors. A

ILLINOIS VALLEY REGISTER, ——(?)–——(?): Published by a Mr. Ellis, probably about 1850.

WESTERN UNIONIST, 1851 to after 1858: A Republican paper which ardently supported Lincoln. It was established by T. H. Ellis; probably he sold to R. D. Dedman, who was editor and publisher on September 18, 1858. S

DEMOCRAT, October 7, 1859–1867+: Edited by W. W. Chapman and A. D. Davies; published by W. W. Chapman. In the number of June 7, 1862, R. D. Dedman's name appeared as editor and proprietor. Under Chapman the paper was Democratic; under Dedman, Republican. In 1867 Dedman sold to William T. Collins, who changed the name to

SCOTT COUNTY UNION, +1867–1870: Conducted first as a Republican, then as an Independent organ by William T. Collins, who discontinued it in 1870 and sold the plant to T. H. Flynn, who established the *Independent.*

SCOTT COUNTY NEWS, July, 1860–——(?): "A rabid partisan sheet" brought out just before the Civil War, by C. J. Sellan, who was major of the 28th Illinois Infantry, August 22, 1861–January 8, 1862. A

HERALD, ——(?)–——(?): A Democratic paper established by John J. Bunce toward the close of the Civil War. It was after a time edited by Frank Glossop. Short-lived.

TIMES, September 14, 1865, to date: Established by A. A. Wheelock, who conducted it until after 1870. Milton and Moyer, and Wheelock and Moyer were subsequent editors and publishers. Then Wheeler alone continued it until May, 1884, when he sold to Charles Crisp, and the paper was conducted by Crisp and A. W. Tibbetts. Crisp sold in 1885 to Tibbetts and Rogers; Tibbetts retired in March, 1886, and soon afterward the paper

reverted to Crisp. G. W. Dixon and T. H. Devine took charge of the plant and conducted the *Times* until fall, when Crisp again assumed control. W. A. Heazlitt was made manager and J. C. Balsley editor. P. R. Nelson bought the *Times* October 15, 1887, and has conducted it ever since. Democratic.

STAR, November 12, 1869–1870: A short-lived Republican paper run by D. Leib Ambrose.

INDEPENDENT, September 3, 1870–1882: Established by T. H. Flynn, with John Moses as editor. S. M. Moses was editor and publisher in 1880: T. H. Flynn, 1882. It was Greenback in politics — listed in Ayer for 1881 as Liberal Democrat. The paper was discontinued about 1882 and the plant was sold to George H. Palmer and Son, of the *Standard*.

SCOTT COUNTY ARROW, 1878–1879+: A Republican paper at first published by Pearce and Clapp. It was issued from Winchester for one year, then from Manchester until 1908. After 1883 E. J. Pearce was publisher. Successive Winchester editors were Albert Chapman, Thomas H. Devine, J. C. Balsley, D. T. Smith and Henry Higgins.

WINDSOR, SHELBY COUNTY

SENTINEL, 1876–1877+: Started by A. M. Anderson May, 1876. In January, 1877, the plant was taken to Paris. Two months later Anderson started another paper and called it the

DOLLAR SENTINEL, 1877–1879: Under the editorship of A. M. Anderson it had a fitful existence for two years when the plant was removed to Shelbyville.

GAZETTE, 1878 to date: Edited by Warden Brothers, 1878; J. L. Warden, 1878–1889; Charles and Thomas Miner, 1889: W. E. McCormick, 1890; Bart Grider, 1891, and H. S. Lilly and G. E. Dunscomb, 1891 to date.

WOODFORD, WOODFORD COUNTY

SENTINEL, 1854– ——(?).

WOODHULL, HENRY COUNTY

REPORTER, December, 1875–1876+: Established by Magner and Carlin. After a year sold to J. J. McHose, who changed the name to

ENTERPRISE, +December, 1877–1880: Edited by J. J. McHose and R. H.Magner. C. C. Carlin was editor and publisher in 1879 and 1880.

DISPATCH, 1879 to date: Edited and published by Kale and Porter, 1879–1882: M. A. Chesley, and later Chesley and B. J. Dunlap, 1882–1896; C. L. Burgess and W. W. White, 1897–fall of 1899; White and W. A. Olson, fall of 1899–July, 1900; Olson and A. A. Mackey, July, 1900–1906; Olson and E. N. Stephenson, 1906 and after; Olson and G. E. Swanson since March 1, 1909. A local Independent paper. A part of the edition was being printed in 1907, under the same name for Oneida. The Oneida edition has since been discontinued.

WOODSTOCK, McHENRY COUNTY

ILLINOIS REPUBLICAN, 1846–1856: Edited by Josiah Dwight. After several suspensions and changes of name it became the *Sentinel*. In 1854 it bore the name of the

REPUBLICAN FREE PRESS, March 8, 1854–1855: The material became the property of the owners of the *Argus*. **F**

DEMOCRAT, 1849–1856, 1858–1859, 1860–1862: Edited by E. D. Austin. Its publication was suspended a few months in 1859. James L. Martin was owner and editor, 1860–1862. **F**

ARGUS, 1856–1857: Edited by E. W. Smith and M. L. Joslyn. Democrat. Mr. Edson was owner when its publication ceased.

SENTINEL, 1856 to date: Josiah Dwight was editor, 1856–1858. Later editors were: A. E. and W. E. Smith, 1858–1866; F. M. Sapp and G. B. Richardson, 1866–1869: William E. Smith, 1869–1872; G. S. Southworth, 1872–1879; Mr. Southworth and E. F. Glennon, 1879–1891. C. A. Lemmers was editor from 1891 to 1902, the Woodstock Sentinel Company (Inc.) being publishers. During this time L. T. Hoy was president and manager. From 1902 to 1906 W. W. Chandler was manager, Mr. Hoy continuing as president. January 1, 1906, Charles F. Renich became editor and manager, and still continues as such, with the Woodstock Sentinel Company as publishers. At first G. L. Webb and T. F. Johnson were proprietors, and they probably edited it themselves for a brief period before Mr. Dwight was given charge of that work. In 1857 it became the property of F. W. Franks and Son, with Mr. Dwight still editor. It was not until the advent of Messrs. Smith that local news began to be a feature of the paper. It has advocated Republican principles. There are complete files in the office.

McHENRY COUNTY UNION, 1861–1862: Owned by J. H. Hodder. It was published one year, and was then sold to the *Sentinel*.

CITIZEN, 1873: It did not live a year.

ANTI-MONOPOLIST, 1873: Published by the Franklin Printing and Publishing Company of Chicago. W. D. Ringland was business manager. It was a Grange paper.

NEW ERA, 1873–1880: Established by Ringland and Price. In 1874 W. D. Ringland became sole proprietor. The paper was an organ of the Grange movement, embracing first Greenback, and then Republican doctrines. It was moved to Elgin in 1880. Ringland and Cumins owned it, 1879–1880.

MCHENRY COUNTY DEMOCRAT, 1877–1902: Established by A. R. Bradbury, who issued a few numbers. In 1877 the paper was re-established with John A. and M. C. Dufield as proprietors. In 1882 M. C. Dufield retired. C. A. Lemmers was local editor, 1883–1890. In October, 1902, this paper was succeeded by *Republican*, with C. A. Lemmers, editor and manager, and the McHenry County Republican Company, owners. Republican in politics after 1902. Files complete are in possession of the *Republican*.

WYOMING, STARK COUNTY

CHIEF, 1867–1871: A paper issued from the office of the Toulon *Prairie Chief*, with B. W. Seaton as editor and publisher.

POST, August 1872, to date: Established by E. H. Phelps, who published the paper until 1876, when he sold to J. D. Gilchrist; Gilchrist sold to R. P. Chaddock, 1879; Chaddock in 1880 to William R. Sandham, who in 1885 bought the *Herald* and combined the two as *Post-Herald*. Sandham sold to J. M. Newton and W. E. Nixon in 1889; Newton sold to Nixon in August, 1895. Harrison Thomas bought a half interest in January 1, 1904. These owners sold to William G. and Gladstone Moore (Moore and Son), who have continued the paper. Republican, but not actively partisan.

STARK COUNTY BEE, 1875–1877: Published by M. M. Monteith. Independent Republican. **U**

YATES CITY, KNOX COUNTY

HERALD, 1864–1870: In 1869 and 1870 J. S. Foster was editor and publisher. In 1870 the paper was combined with Elmwood *Chronicle* and issued as *Chronicle and Herald* by O. F. Woodcock and Company.

EAST KNOX NEWS, 1876: A short-lived paper issued by A. M. Swain.

INDUSTRIAL BANNER, December 25, 1879, to date: Established by A. H. McKeighan, who bought the *Ipava Independent* and moved it to Yates City, changing the name to *Industrial Banner*.

In 1892 W. A. McKeighan again took charge of the paper and is the present owner and editor. Files are in the office. Listed in Ayer, 1881, as a Greenback paper. Now Independent in politics.

YORKVILLE, KENDALL COUNTY

KENDALL COUNTY RECORD, 1864 to date: John R. Marshall was editor and publisher in 1869, and seems to have continued in that position ever since. A Republican paper. In 1881 an edition was issued under the name of *Mirror*, for Plano.

NEWS, 1872–1877: R. M. and Callie D. M. Springer were editors and publishers until 1877, when James H. Ferris and Frank H. Hall were publishers. The paper was that year moved to Plano. Independent.

YOUNG AMERICA, WARREN COUNTY

NEWS, 1868 to date (1869): Reed and Clark were editors and publishers. A Republican paper.

PLAINDEALER, 1870–1871: Edited by Judson Graves. In Rowell for 1871 and 1872 the date of establishment was given as 1852. A Republican paper.

ADDITIONS

BELLVILLE, ST. CLAIR COUNTY

THE ST. CLAIR TRIBUNE, on April 24, 1857 became the *Belleville Tribune*. A file of this paper, v. 3, no. 25–v. 4, no. 21; August 2, 1856–July 3, 1857 is in the St. Clair County Court House, Belleville.

GREAT WESTERN: A file of v. 1, complete, is in the St. Clair County Court House, Belleville.

CANTON, FULTON COUNTY

HERALD, 1837–1838: This paper was edited by Gideon B. Perry and published by Ptolemy Stone. In 1838 its name was changed to

FULTONIAN, 1838–1840: This title was changed in 1840 to *Western Telegraph*, and modified to *Fulton Telegraph* in 1841.

CHICAGO, COOK COUNTY

EVENING STAR, August, 1861– ——(?): An "Independent" paper antagonistic to the federal administration, and to nearly everything in general. A. C. Ellithorpe and Company were publishers. V. 1, no. 32, 37; September 25, October 2, 1861, in Chicago Historical Society Library.

GUYER'S PROGRESSIVE AGE AND CHICAGO PATHFINDER, September, 1859– ——(?): Edited by Isaac D. Guyer and circulated gratuitously. Monthly. V. 1, no. 2, October, 1859, in Chicago Historical Society Library.

MUSICAL INDEPENDENT, November, 1868– ——(?): Edited by W. S. B. Matthews; published by Lyon and Healy. V. 1, no. 2, December, 1868, in Chicago Historical Society Library.

DANVILLE, VERMILLION COUNTY

PRAIRIE STATE, 1856(?): One of the papers which signed the call for the Republican convention of 1856.

DELAVAN, TAZEWELL COUNTY

TIMES, September, 1874–1893+: Established by Joe F. Reed, who later sold to A. C. Boyd and Oscar Singley. Singley soon withdrew, and Boyd, soon after 1880, sold to Guy Beatty and

Samuel Newman. Beatty afterward bought the interest of his partner, and in 1890 sold an interest to Starr H. Beatty. Beatty Brothers conducted the *Times* until 1893, when Guy Beatty retired. Starr H. Beatty has been editor and publisher since that time. In 1893 the *Times* absorbed the *Tazewell County Press* (established by Joe F. Reed in 1889) and the title of the combined papers became *Times-Press*. Republican.

FREEPORT, STEPHENSON COUNTY

STATE GRANGE NEWS: The official organ of the State Grange of Illinois, edited and published by J. M. Chambers about 1874.

OQUAWKA, HENDERSON COUNTY

REPUBLICAN, 1856(?): One of the papers which signed the call for a Republican convention in 1856.

SPRINGFIELD, SANGAMON COUNTY

ILLINOIS STATE REGISTER: A file running from 1838, when the paper was published at Vandalia, to 1855, is in the Sangamon County Court House, Springfield.

INDEPENDENT REFORMER, 1874: A campaign paper published in the interest of the Independent, or Farmer's party.

TILTON

PRAIRIE CHICKEN, 1864–——(?): Volume one of a paper bearing this title is catalogued in the New York Public Library, but repeated attempts failed to discover the paper.

VERMONT, FULTON COUNTY

FULTONIAN, 1856(?): No mention of this paper is found except that it was a signer of the call for the Decatur convention in 1856. There are contemporary newspaper references to it. Mr. George L. Durell of Vermont owns several copies.

A LIST OF

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To which are added lists of Illinois Newspapers and Periodicals in the Library of Congress, the Library of the State Historical Society of Wisconsin, the Mercantile Library, St. Louis, the Library of the American Antiquarian Society, Worcester, Mass., and others.

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ABINGDON
Hedding College Library. No files
Public Library. No report
ALTON
Jennie D. Hayner Library Association Library
Daily Telegraph: January 3, 1853–1854
Morning Courier: January 1, 1855–1856
ALTONA
Ransom Library. No report
ARCOLA
Public Library. No report
AURORA
Public Library
Beacon: Broken set
Democrat: Nos. 1, 2, 3, August 6–20
Express: Broken set
Guardian: Five volumes
Herald: Broken set
News (d): Broken set
Republican: Broken set
Republican Union: Broken set
BARRY
Public Library. No report
BATAVIA
Public Library. No files
BELLEVILLE
Public Library
Advocate: 1840–1869; 29 vols.
Democrat: 1858–1870; 13 vols.
Despatch: March 7, 1861–August 3, 1861
Illinois Republican: 1849–1852
St. Clair Banner: 1844–June 20, 1846
St. Clair Tribune: February, 1854–1857
Volksblatt: 1856–1857
Zeitung: 1849–1860
BELVIDERE
Ida Public Library. No files
BEMENT
Woman's Club Library. No files
BLOOMINGTON
Illinois Wesleyan University Library. No files
Withers Public Library
BLOOMINGTON
Democratic News: v. 1, no. 2–52; v. 2, no. 1–52; January 1, 1877–December 28, 1877; January 4, 1878–December 27, 1878
Intelligencer: January 14, 1852–November 16, 1853
Leader (d and w): Complete file, November 15, 1868–May 1899
Observer and McLean County Advocate: Single number, January 13, 1838
Pantagraph (w): December 7, 1853–January 10, 1855
Western Whig: v. 2, 1848; August 5, January 13, February 10, May 19, July 21, 28, August 18, 25, September 8, 15, 22; v. 4, 1850: January 15, 29, April 13, June 29, July 13, 30, August 3, September 7, 21; v. 5, 1850: November 2, 27–November 19, 1851
SPRINGFIELD
Illinois Journal: v. 14, no. 177–250; January 8, 1862–April 3, 1862
State Register (tri-w): June 12, 1847–September 3, 1847
TREMONT
Tazewell Whig: v. 3, no. 33; February 13, 1847; v. 4, no. 31; February 11, 1848
McLean County Historical Society Library
Pantagraph (w): v. 10, 1855–1856; v. 11, 1856–1857; v. 12, 1857–1858; also 1899–1907
Pantagraph (d): 1869–1876; 1878–1882; 1886–1887; 1894+
Illinois Statesman: v. 1–5; 1859–1863

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McLean County Historical Society Library
Weekly National Flag: v. 1, 2; June 29, 1855–October 16, 1857
BLUE ISLAND
Public Library. No files
BOURBONNAIS
St. Viateur's College Library. No files
BRAIDWOOD
Public Library. No files
BUDA
Library Association Library. No files
BUNKER HILL
Public Library. No report
CAIRO
Public Library
CAIRO
Bulletin: July 1, 1870–December 31, 1870; July 1, 1871–December 31, 1871
City Item: v. 1, no. 1, September 30, 1865
Democrat: v. 5, no. 145; February 25, 1868; v. 5, no. 188; April 17, 1868
Evening Sun: v. 8, no. 172; October 21, 1872
Monday Leader: v. 1, no. 4; April 17, 1865
Morning News: v. 2, no. 637; April 16, 1865
Times: v. 8, no. 172; October 21, 1872
CHICAGO
Evening Journal: June 3, 1861
Record: v. 5, no. 23; March 1, 1862
KASKASKIA
Republican: v. 1, no. 4; March 18, 1841
CAMBRIDGE
Township Public Library. No report
CANTON
Parlin Library. No files
CARBONDALE
Library Association Library. No files
Southern Illinois State Normal University. No files
CARLINVILLE
Blackburn University Library. No files
CARPENTERSVILLE
Literary and Library Association. No files
CARTHAGE
Carthage College Library. No files
Free Public Library. No files
CASEY
Public Library. No report
CENTRALIA
Public Library and Reading Room. No files
CHAMPAIGN
Public Library
CHAMPAIGN
Our Constitution: July 22, 1856–July 23, 1858
CHICAGO
Western Monthly: v. 1–2; 1869
URBANA
Union: June 22, 1854–May 31, 1855
VANDALIA
Illinois Monthly Magazine: v. 1; October, 1830–September, 1831
CHARLESTON
Eastern Illinois Normal School Library. No files
Public Library. No files
CHESTER
Tecumseh Library Association Library. No report
CHICAGO
Armour Institute of Technology Library. No files
Chicago Normal School Library. No files

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ALTON
American (w): v. 1, November 22, 1833–June 2, 1834
Courier, Daily Morning: v. 1, 2; May 29, 1852–May 31, 1854; v. 7, no. 1–313, June 1, 1858–May 31, 1859
Courier, Weekly: v. 1; June 4, 1852–May 27, 1853
Democrat, Daily Evening: v. 6, no. 63, 66; September 27, 30, 1865
Illinois Temperance Herald: v. 3, no. 9, February, 1839
Observer: v. 3, no. 37–v. 4, no. 45; September 29, 1836–April 19, 1838

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ALTON
Protestant Monitor: v. 3, no. 32, May 24, 1848
Spectator: v. 1–4; 1832–1834; n. s. v. 1–3, 1835–1837 (inc.)
Telegraph (w): v. 1–15; January 20, 1836–December 27, 1850. Name changed April 3, 1841, to *Alton Telegraph and Democratic Review*
Telegraph (tri-w): v. 1, 2; January 1, 1851–May 22, 1852
Telegraph (d): v. 1–3; May 24, 1852–May 17, 1855
Telegraph and Madison County Record (w): v. 18–20; January 7, 1853–May 18, 1855
Western Pioneer and Baptist Standard Bearer (w): n. s. v. 1, no. 1–v. 2, no. 50; June 30, 1856–December 13, 1838
ALTON (UPPER)
Truth Seeker (q): v. 1; 1845–1846
AMBOY
Times: v. 5, no. 11; October 13, 1859
ARCOLA
Record: v. 10, n. 25; February 26, 1876
BELLEVILLE
Advocate (w): n. s. v. 5, no. 13; July 11, 1844; v. 7, no. 22, September 24, 1846; v. 44, no. 36; June 9, 1882
Democrat (w): v. 1–3; 1858–1860; 1858–1860 (odd numbers)
Illinois Republican: v. 1, no. 50; January 9, 1850
Representative and Belleville News: v. 1, no. 22; January 20, 1838
BLOOMINGTON
Western Jurist (m, w): v. 1, May, 1874; v. 6, no. 52, April 28, 1881. Changed to *Monthly Jurist*, then *Weekly Jurist*
Schoolmaster (m): v. 3, no. 20–31; 1870. [Published at Chicago beginning with no. 26. Continued as *The Chicago Schoolmaster*]
CAIRO
Democrat (d): v. 3, no. 25, 29; September 29, October 4, 1865
CARLYLE
Democrat (d): v. 3, no. 18; July 4, 1857
CHARLESTON
Courier: v. 17, no. 16; February 4, 1857
CHICAGO
Advance: v. 1, no. 17 +; December 26, 1867 +
Aetna: v. 12, no. 1; November 15, 1879
Alliance, Chicago: v. 1, no. 1, v. 2, no. 54 (whole no. 106); December 13, 1873–December 18, 1875. Continued as
Alliance: v. 3, no. 7 (whole no. 111); v. 8, no. 26 (whole no. 390) January 22, 1876–April 25, 1881
Amateur Mechanic (m): v. 1, no. 1–2; July to August, 1877; v. 1, no. 7, January, 1878
American, Chicago: v. 1–7; May 8, 1835–October 19, 1842
American, Chicago Daily: v. 1–4; April 9, 1839–October 17, 1842
American Antiquarian: v. 1–8; 1878–1886. [Title of v. 4–8, *American Antiquarian and Oriental Journal*]
American Builder and Journal of Art (m): v. 1–4; October 15, 1868–1871
American Poultry Journal and Record: v. 6–9; 1877–1878
Amusement World: n. s. v. 1, no. 2; December 11, 1878
Argus: v. 15, no. 5; November, 1882
Art Journal (m): v. 1–3; 1867–1870
Ashlar (m Masonic): v. 3–4; 1857–1859; v. 6, 1860; v. 7, no. 1; January 1861
Banking and Insurance Chronicle (w): v. 2, no. 45; November 7, 1867
Banner (w): copy, 1885
Baptist Monthly (m): v. 2, no. 1, 3–8, 10; [January–October, 1861]
Better Covenant: v. 2, no. 1–v. 3, no. 351; 1843–1844. [Published in Chicago beginning v. 2, no. 14; April 6, 1843]
British American (m): v. 1, no. 1; October, 1864
Brown School Holiday Budget: v. 1, no. 1, 1866

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Bureau (m): v. 1–v. 2, no. 3; October, 1869–December, 1870; v. 2 no. 11; August, 1871; v. 3, no. 4; Jaunary, 1872
Chapel Chronicle: v. 1, no. 1; September, 1878
Chicagoan: v. 1, no. 1, April 18, 1868
Christian Times: v. 12, no. 28; March 2, 1865
Christian Times and Witness: v. 1, no. 23; February 2, 1854; v. 13, no. 17; December 21, 1865. [Title of v. 1, no. 23 is *Christian Times*. Continued as *Standard*]
Citizen's League (w): v. 1, no. 1–27; December 14, 1878–July 5, 1879
Cloud and the Bow: v. 1, no. 2; July 21, 1858
Commercial Advertiser, Chicago (w): v. 1, no. 33; September 15 1847; v. 2, no. 32; September 6, 1848; v. 3, no. 16, 20, 32, 35, 36, 39, 47–May 16, June 13, September 5, 26, October 3, 24, December 19, 1849; v. 4, no. 9, 10, 14, 18, 20, 26–March 27, April 3, 30, May 29, June 19 August 17, 1850
Courier, Daily Chicago: v. 1, no. 1; January 1, 1874
Democrat, Chicago (w): v. 1, no. 1–v. 25; 1833–1861 [incomplete]
Democrat, Daily Chicago: v. 20; September 18, 21, 24, 28, October 1, 5, 1860
Democrat, Morning Chicago: v. 1, no. 4; February 27, 1840
Democrat, Sunday: v. 1, no. 5; July 3, 1870
Democratic Press (d): v. 1–12; 1852–1858
Drew's College Journal (m): v. 1, no. 1; September, 1876
Druggist and Paint and Oil Review (m): v. 1, no. 1; October, 1879
Dunton's Spirit of the Turf: v. 1, no. 1; October 18, 1876
Emery's Journal of Agriculture and the Prairie Farmer (w): v. 2; 1858. [Continued as *The Prairie Farmer*]
Exposition Daily Press: v. 2, no. 16; September 21, 1878
Exposition Pictorial Advertiser: v. 1, no. 3, 9; 1873
Fair Play (w): v. 6, no. 1, 10; December 10, 1881; February 11, 1882
Faith's Record (w): v. 6, nos. 8–12; August–December, 1876; v. 7–9; 1877–1879; v. 11–12; 1881–1882
Farmers' Review (w): v. 4, 1880
Fashion Courier, Chicago: October 1878
Field, Chicago: v. 5–6; February 19, 1876–February 10, 1877; v. 12–15; August 16, 1879–June 25, 1881. [Title of earlier vs. was *Field and Stream*. Continued as *American Field*]
Field and Stream (w): v. 3, 4; February 20, 1875–February 12, 1876. [Continued as *Chicago Field*]
Free West (w): v. 1–3; December 1, 1853–July 19, 1855. [Continues *Western Citizen*]
Gem of the Prairie (w): v. 1; May, 1844–May, 1845; v. 4–7; December 11, 1847–May 24, 1851
Gem of the West and Soldiers' Friend: v. 6, no. 1; January, 1872
Guardian, The: v. 1–4; 1875–1879
Hard Cider Press, v. 1, no. 1–21; June 6–Oct. 24, 1840
Hausfreund, Der (semi-m): v. 12, no. 1, 4; January–February, 1867
Herald, Chicago Daily: v. 1, no. 1, 110; August 16, December 23, 1873
Herald, Chicago Morning (d): no. 1047–1173; May 10–October 4, 1881
Herald, Chicago Morning: no. 1; March 17, 1879
Chicago Homoeopath (bi-m): v. 2, no. 1; January, 1854
Humane Journal: v. 1, no. 1; May, 1872
Illinois and Indiana Medical and Surgical Journal (bi. m): n.s. v. 2, no. 1–5; April–December, 1847
Illinois Schoolmaster (m): v. 6, no. 57, v. 9; 1873–1876
Illinois Staats-Zeitung (d): 1875–1876; 1888–1898
Illustrated Champion: November, 1879

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Illustrated Chicago News (w): v. 1, no. 1–8; April 24, 1868–June 13, 1868
Illustrated Journal (m): v. 1, 2; November, 1872–1874; v. 3, no. 1–6; July–December, 1874
Illustrated News, Chicago: v. 1, no. 2; October 1, 1879
Independent: v. 2, no. 2; March 23, 1878. Supplement
Index Universitates: v. 1, no. 1; March, 1862
Industrial World and Commercial Advertiser (w): v. 14, no. 14; April 15, 1880
Interior (w): v. 8–1877+
Inter Ocean (d): November–December 1879; 1880+
Inter Ocean (w): July 20, 1876+. [Title changes to *Weekly Inter Ocean and Farmer*]
Jeweler's Journal (m): v. 1, no. 1; November, 1879
Jewish Advance (w): v. 1–7; 1878–1881
Journal, Chicago (d): July 27, 1844–January 1, 1853
Journal, Chicago Daily: v. 13, no. 189; August 14, 1854; v. 16, no. 66; March 19, 1858; v. 18, no. 221, 225, 238; September 18, 22, October 5, 1860. [Continued as *Chicago Evening Journal*]
Journal, Chicago Evening (d): May 2, 1862; October 7, 10, 17, 19, 24, 1871; February 11, 1865; March 1, 1867; March 31, 1887
Journal of Commerce, Chicago (w): v. 41–43; 1883; v. 46–49; 1885–1886
Journal of Science: v. 4, no. 9; July 15, 1880
Jubilee, Daily: v. 1, no. 1; June 5, 1873
Ladies' Friend and Shopping Guide: v. 1, no. 1; January, 1872
Lakeside Monthly: v. 5–10 1871–1873; v. 11, no. 61, 62; January, February, 1874
Land Owner (m): v. 2, no. 8; August, 1870; v. 3, no. 2; February, 1871; v. 4–5; 1872–1873; v. 6, no. 6; June, 1874
Law Bulletin, Chicago Daily (d): June 4, 1872–1900
Leedle Vanderer: Book 2, no. 2; September and October, 1870
Legal Adviser (w): v. 21, no. 15; 1880; v. 31–37; 1891–1897
Legal News, Chicago (w): v. 4; 1871
Lens: v. 1–2; 1872–1873
Librarian, Chicago: v. 1, nos. 1–5; November 1872–August, 1873
Library Record (m): January, April, May and June, 1879; v. 2, no. 1, 3–4, 6–7, 9; October, 1880–April, 1881; v. 3, no. 1–5, 7; October, 1882, June, 1884; v. 4 no. 1–5; November, 1883–May 1884
Literary and Musical Review (m): v. 2, no. 4; April, 1880
Literary Budget (w): v. 1–3; 1853–1855
Literary Review (m): v. 1, no. 1, 4; May and August, 1879
Literary Varieties, Chicago: v. 1, no. 2; April, 1873
Little Corporal (m): v. 1–3; 1865–1866; v. 7, no. 5–v. 8, no. 4; 1868–1869; v. 9, no. 3–4, 6; 1867; v. 10–15; 1870–1872; v. 19, no. 2; 1874
Little Corporal's School Festival (q): no. 2; April, 1870
Living Church: v. 1–8; 1878–1886
Lorgnette: v. 1, no. 28, 35; May 4, 12, 1871
Chicago Magazine, The West as it Is (m): v. 1, no. 1–5; 1857
Chicago Magazine of Fashion, Music and Home Reading (m): v. 1–6; 1870–1875 incomplete
Weekly Magazine: v. 6–8; May 6, 1882–March 28, 1885
Mail, Chicago Evening: v. 1–4; August 18, 1870–January 10, 1874
Mail, Chicago Morning (d): v. 1, no. 41; January 14, 1847
Medical Examiner, Chicago (m): v. 1, no. 12; December, 1860; v. 9, no. 8; August, 1868; v. 10–12; 1869–1871. [Continued as *Medical Examiner*]
Medical Examiner (semi-m): v. 13, no. 3, 8; February 1, April 15, 1872; v. 14, no. 9; May 1, 1873

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Medical Journal, Chicago (m, semi-m): n. s. v. 1; 1858; n. s. v, 2, no. 2–3, 5–6, 10, 1859; n. s. v. 3, no. 2, February, 1860; v. 21, no. 2–5, 9–11, 1864; v. 22, no. 1–3, 11, 1865; v. 23, no. 4–5, 8, 10–12, 1866; v. 24, no. 1, 3, 7–9, 1867; v. 25–31, 1868–1874
Medical Journal and Examiner, Chicago (m): v. 32, 1875; v. 33, no. 3, March, 1876; v. 34, 1877; v. 35, no. 6, December, 1877; v. 36–37, 1878; v. 41, no. 3, September, 1880; v. 42, no. 4, April, 1881; v. 44, no. 4–5, October–November, 1881; v. 47, no. 1–3, July–September, 1883; v. 49, no. 3, September, 1884; v. 50, no. 3–6, March–June, 1885; v. 51–58, 1885–1889
Medical Register, Chicago: v. 1, 1872; 1874–1875; 1876–1877; 1884–1885
Mercantile Journal and Weekly Price Current (w): v. 1, nos. 1–26; April 13–October 5, 1871
Merchants Weekly Circular, Chicago: v. 2, n. s. no. 14; April 11, 1862
Millenarian: v. 1, no. 1; January 1874
Mirror of Fashions (w): v. s, no. 6; July 17, 1879
Monthly (edited at the University of St. Mary of the Lake): v. 1, no. 6; June, 1865
Mothers' Journal (m): v. 33–35; 1868–1870
Museum, Chicago Daily: v. 1, no. 117; January 22, 1864
Mystic Star (m): v. 5–9; 1866–1868
National Banner (m): v. 1, nos. 1–9; Mav 1– December, 1862
National Live-Stock Journal (m): v. 1–17; September 18, 1870–December, 1886
National Sunday School Teacher (m): v. 1–6; 1866–1871; v. 9, 1874
New Covenant (w): January 4–November 22, 1877
News, Chicago Daily: 1877+
North Side Reporter (w): v. 1, no. 19; November 23, 1878; v. 2, no. 24, 35; October 4, 1879, January 31, 1880
North-Western Baptist (semi-m): v. 2, no. 22; August 15, 1844
Northwestern Christian Advocate (w): v. 23, 1875+ [missing v. 25, 1877]
Northwestern Journal of Homoeopathia (m): v. 1–2; 1848–1849, 1849–1850
Northwestern Lumberman (w): January 11, 1879– December 31, 1898
Northwestern Magazine: v. 2, no. 1; December, 1874
Northwestern Medical and Surgical Journal (bi m, m): v. 1–4; 1848–1851; n. s. v. 1–6; 1852–1857
Northwestern Pulpit (m): v. 1, no. 3; April, 1860
Northwestern Quarterly Magazine: no. 1; October, 1858
Northwestern Review (m): v. 8, no. 4; April, 1873; v. 9, no. 6, December, 1873
Northwestern Sunday School Teachers' Quarterly: v. 1; 1865
Occident (w): v. 6, no. 11; February 14, 1879; v. 14, no. 38; December 31, 1886
Our Picture Gallery (m): v. 1; 1878
People's Dental Journal (q): v. 1; 1863
People's Illustrated Weekly and Prairie Farmer: v. 54, no. 4; September 21, 1882
People's Paper: v. 1, no. 1, 2; July 26, August 16, 1873
Pharmacist (m): v. 11, no. 1–3; January–March, 1878
Play (w): v. 4, no. 14, 17; October 18, 1880, January 10, 31, 1881.
Pomeroy's Democrat: June 30, 1877–April 3, 1880.
Post (d): September 22, 1865.
Post, Chicago (d): October 24–December 14, 1866
Post, Chicago Evening (d and w): December 17–31, 1866: February 20, 1867–January 10, 1874; [July 10, 1871–March 30, 1872]

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Post, Chicago Morning (d): v. 4; September 5, 1862–April 30, 1864
Chicago Post and Mail (d and w): January 12, 1874–December 26, 1877
Prairie Farmer: v. 5; 1845; v. 12–15; 1849–1855; n. s. v. 7; o. s. v. 23; n. s. v. 10–11, 13–14, 39, 46–58; 1861, 1682–1864, 1868, 1875–1886
Presbyterian Expositor (m): v. 1–2; 1857–1858–1859
Press (q): v. 1, no. 1; October, 1870
Press, Chicago (d): v. 5–6: June 13, 1857–June 30, 1858. [Continued as *Press and Tribune*]
Press and Tribune (d): v. 12–13; July 1, 1858–October 24, 1860
Printing Press (bi-m): v. 1–no. 1–4; July, 1875–April, 1876; v. 2, no. 5–7; June–October, 1876
Pulpit, Chicago (w): v. 1, no. 5; January 27, 1872; v. 1, no. 15; April 7, 1872; v. 2, no. 32; August 3, 1872; v. 3, no. 59, 77; February 8, June 14, 1873
Rail Splitter (w): v. 1, no. 5, 9–10, 12–18; July 21, August 18, 25, September 3, 8, 15, 22, 29, October 6, 13, 27, 1860. [Number for September 3 called *Pictorial Rail Splitter*]
Railroad Gazette (w): October 22, 1870–August 5, 1871
Railway Advertising Bulletin (d): v. 1, no. 1–100; August 4–November 20, 1879
Railway Age (w): v. 6–11; 1881–1886
Railway and Engineering Review (w): v. 27; 1887. (Continues *Chicago Railway Review*)
Railway Review, Chicago (w): v. 15–26; July 7, 1877–December 25, 1886
Real Estate and Building Journal (w): March 2, 1872–July 3, 1897
Record, Chicago (m): v. 1–5; April 1, 1857–March 15, 1862
Religio-Philosophical Journal (w): March 25, 1871–April 13, 1895
Republican, Chicago: (1) v. 1–4; November 25, 1865–September 16, 1868; (2) October 20, 1867–September 31, 1870; February 20, March, 28, June 1, July 3, August 7, September 15, October 7, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 1871; January 22–March 22, 1872; (3) v. 1, no. 42, 56, 57, 61, 64, 79, 80, 116, 123, 126, 133–6, 139 144, 149, 158–62, 176; July 17, August 2, 3, 8, 11, 30, 31, October 12, 20, 24, November 1–4, 8, 14, 20, 30, December 1–4, 21, 29, 1865; (4) May 22, September 9, October 15, November 3, 6, 7, December 2, 4, 1871
Republican, Tri-Weekly: v. 1, no. 9; November 22, 1865
Review, Chicago (w): v. 1, no. 32, 34–35; November 2, 16, 23, 1878
Ribbon Review, Chicago (w): v. 1, no. 1–30; March 24–October 19, 1878. [No. 2, 12, 18 missing]
Rounds' Printers' Cabinet: v. 10, no. 4; July, 1866; v. 12–v. 28, no. 2; 1868–April, 1883 (except v. 26, no. 4, and v. 27, no. 2, v. 30–32, no. 1; 1885–1888)
Saturday Evening Herald (w): March 1, June 25, 1879; February 28, 1880; December 10, 1881; January 14, 21, August 5, September 23, 30, October 7, 21, November 4, 18, 25, 1882; February 1, June 9, 1883; May 17, July 26, 1884; August 15, 1885; July 10, 1886; February 26, 1887; July 7, 1888+ [August 21, 1897–November 10, 1900 missing]
Schoolmaster, Chicago (m): v. 4–v. 6, no. 56; 1871–January 1873
Sloan's Garden City (w): v. 1–3; July 23, 1853–May 5, 1855
Spiritual Record (w): v. 1; 1879; v. 2, no; 14, 1880
Standard (w): v. 21+, September 24, 1874+
Star Weekly: v. 1, no. 5, November 11, 1873
States, The: v. 1, no. 8, 11, September 8, November 17, 1877
Sun (d): v. 3, no. 67, February 10, 1872
Sunday School Scholar (m): v. 2, 1870

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Teacher, Chicago (w): v. 1–2; 1873–1874
Telegraph, Chicago Daily: nos. 1–1046; March 26, 1878–May 9, 1881
Times (d and w): v. 1, no. 1; June 12, 1852–May 2, 1853; April 3, May 2, 1856; January 13, 1857; January 6, 14, 20, February 6, May 8, June 4, October 27, 31, November 13, December 25, 1858; May 24, 1860; June 8, 11–20, October 15, 1861; January 1, 5, 8, 25, 31, February 20, March 18, 25, April 9, 15, May 3, 9, 11, 13, 26, July 20, August 10, 17, September, 3, 14, 28, November 2, December 10, 28, 1862; January 25, February 8, April 15, May 2, June 14, July 12, 26, September 27, October 4, 17, 25, November 1, December 6, 20, 1863; January 10, 13, March 13, May 10, 15, 22, June 3, 12, 19, July 17, August 28, September 22, October 9, 30, November 23, December 17, 18, 1864; January 29, February 5, 26, March 12, 15, 17, 21, April 16, May 14, October 4, 31, November 4, December 31, 1865; January 25, February 21, 23, 24, 25, 26, March 4, April 22, 29, July 8, September 9, 17, November 12, 27, December 25, 31, 1866; January 13, February 24, March 2, 26, April 5, May 25, June 2, 13, 18, August 9, 14, September 28, December 29, 1867; March 29, May 24, 31, June 6, 7, 13, 21, 28, July 19, October 18, November 1, 4, 1868; February 18, May 11, October 10, 18, 31, November 11, 14, 1869; January 1, 27, February 1, 25, May 20, 27, 31, June 1, 2, 11, 12, 19, 20, 21, 24, 26, 27, July 3, 4, 13–15, 17, 22, 23, 26, 29, 31, August 8, 11, 13–15, 17, 19, 21, September 18, 25, December 2, 4, 1870; June 23, July 22, 27, August 15, September 23, 26, October 1, 19, 1871; December 8, 1871–March 30, 1872; September 29, October 9, 10, 1872; April 13, 1873; July 15, 16, October 8, 1874; January 1872–September, 1887
Times and Herald, Daily: v. 1, no. 3, 42, 48; September 10, 17, 24, 1860
Times-Herald, Chicago (d): March, 1896–April, 1898. [Consol. w. *Record* March 28, 1901]
Tribune (w): v. 1–v. 2, no. 21; April 4, 1840–August 21, 1841. All published
Tribune, Chicago (d): v. 14 +; October 25, 1860 + [See *Press and Tribune*]
Union Park Banner: v. 3, no. 7; March, 1872
United States Medical and Surgical Journal (q): v. 1; 1865–1866; v. 5, no. 15; April, 1869; v. 6, no. 22, 24; January, July, 1871; v. 7; 1871–1872; v. 8, no. 29, 31, 32; October, 1872, April, July, 1873; v. 9, no. 33, 34, 36; October 1873, January–July, 1874
Unity: v. 10, 11, 17+; 1883, 1884, 1890 +
Voice of Masonry (m): v. 5, 6; 1867,–1868; v. 7, no. 4; 1869; v. 11, no. 4; 1873; v. 12–15; 1874–1877; v. 16, no. 6, 8; 1878; v. 18–20; 1880–1882; v. 21, no. 9; 1883. [Missing v. 6, no. 1; v. 12, no. 1, 6; v. 13, no. 1, 6, 9–12; v. 15, no. 9, 11; v. 18, no. 1–3, 6–8; v. 19, no. 5, 9; v. 20, no. 1–6]
Voice of the Fair (w): v. 1, no. 1–22; April 27–Junè 24, 1865
Volante (m): v. 1, no. 6; v. 2, no. 1; v. 3, no. 4; v. 4, no. 1–5; v. 5, no. 3; v. 6, no. 5, 6
Washington (m): 1876–1893
Watchmakers' Magazine (m): v. 2, no. 5, 6; March, April, 1873
Watchman (m): v. 2, no. 9; July, 1876; v. 3, no. 3, 18; December 1, 1876, October 1, 1877
Watchman of the Prairies (w): v. 1–6; August 10, 1849–February 22, 1853. [Became *Christian Times*, then *Standard*]
West End Advocate (w): v. 11, no. 304; December 14, 1878
Western Agriculturalist and Live Stock Journal: 1878–1898

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Western Bookseller (m): v. 1, no. 10–v. 2; October, 1868–December, 1869. [Missing v. 2, no. 6, 10]
Western Citizen (w): v. 1–11; 1842–1853. [Continued as *Free West*]
Western Garland: v. 2, no. 5; April, 1856
Western Herald (w): v. 1, no. 1–53; April, 1846– March 31, 1847
Western Home (m): v. 2, no. 1; July, 1869.
Western Magazine (m): v. 1; 1845
Western Magazine (m): v. 3–5; 1879–1881
Western Manufacturer (m): v. 1, 2; April, 1874–March, 1875. [1877–1886, incomplete]
Western Monthly: v. 1–4; 1869–1870. [Continued as *Lakeside Monthly*]
Western Paper Trade (m): 1881–1882 (incomplete)
Western Pulpit (m): v. 1; 1866
Western Railroad Gazette (w): v. 1–4, 7; 1857–1864. Quarto series, v. 2, 1870–1871
Western Rural: v. 6-8; 1868–1870; v. 13–32; 1875–1894. (Except v. 6, no. 1–9.) [Continued as *Western Rural and American Stockman*, with no. for September 22, 1883]
Western Shoe and Leather Review (w): v. 3, no. 8; February 21, 1878
Western Tablet (w): v. 1, no. 2, 4–8, 11, 13, 15, 16, 19–22, 24, 27–29, 31, 34, 36, 38–44; v. 2, no. 6–8, 32–35, 39; February 14, 1852–October 29, 1853
Western Temperance Advocate (w): 1865–1868
Wild Edgerton's Weekly Evergreen: no. 1–52; 1876–1877
Words of Life (m): v. 1, no. 6. [No date]
World, Chicago: v. 10, no. 41; December 4, 1880
Young Folks' Rural: v. 7, no. 5; September, 1880. [Supplement]
Youth's Evangelist and Little Preacher (w): v. 21, no. 3, 5, 6, 8, 10; January 19, February 2, 9, 23, March 8, 1879
Youth's Gazette: v. 1, no. 8; July 26, 1843.
CHESTER
Randolph County Democrat: v. 3, no. 120, 132; April 16, July 9, 1859; v. 6, no. 18, 20; May 3, 17, 1862
COMMERCE
Times and Seasons. See Nauvoo
DECATUR
Illinois State Chronicle (w): v. 3, no. 51; December 24, 1857; v. 4, no. 7, 40–41; February 18, October 7, 14, 1858
DIXON
Telegraph (w): n. s. no. 180; May 8, 1873
Telegraph and Herald (w): n. s. no. 170; February 27, 1873
Western Farmer (m): 1875–1877 [incomplete]
DWIGHT
Western Postal Review: v. 5, no. 3; December, 1877
EDWARDSVILLE
Crisis (w): v. 1, no. 19, 22, August 14, September 9, 1830
Illinois Advocate (w): v. 1. no, 2; February 23, 1831–August 7, 1832
Illinois Corrector (w): v. 1, no. 45; August 25, 1828
Spectator: v. 1–6; April 18, 1820–February 8, 1825
ELGIN
Advocate: v. 29, no. 51; December 22, 1883
Gazette: v. 1, no. 26, 29; January 18, February 8, 1851
Western Christian: v. 1–6; 1846–1849
GALENA
Advertiser: v. 1, no. 1–42; July 20, 1829; May 24, 1830
Advertiser (semi-w): v. 10, no. 15; June 15, 1847
Daily Courier: v. 1, no. 25; February 8, 1856
Democrat: v. 2. no. 35; May 30, 1840
Galenian: v. 1, no. 1–36; May 2, 1832
Jeffersonian: v. 2, no. 12; Mar. 23, 1848

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Miners' Journal: July 22, 1828–September 19, 1829; June 12, 1830
Northwestern Gazette (w): v. 19, no. 2; Nov. 2, 1852
Northwestern Gazette and Galena Advertiser (s-w): v. 5, no. 12; June 18, 1842
GENESEO
Standard: v. 1, no. 11; Nov. 1, 1855
GALESBURG
Knoxiana (m): v. 6, no. 1–8, November, 1856–June, 1857
Oak Leaf (m): v. 1, no. 2–3, 7–8; November, December, 1856; April, May, 1857
GRAYVILLE
Herald: v. 3, no. 20; September 12, 1857
GREENVILLE
Protestant Monitor: v. 2, no. 36; March 5, 1847; v. 3, no. 3; August 18, 1847; extra, December 17, 1845
HAMILTON
Dollar Monthly and Old Settlers' Memorial (m): v. 1–5; May 1, 1873–April, 1877
HENNEPIN
Genius of Universal Emancipation: no. 2–12; 1839
Journal: v. 1, no. 24, 26, 30, 43; October 12, 26, 1837; January 27, March 3, 1838
HILLSBORO
Montgomery County Herald (w): v. 4, no. 50; July 3, 1858
HUTSONVILLE
Journal: v. 1. no, 2; June 12, 1852
HYDE PARK
Daily Sun: 5th year, no. 1–198; May 10–December 31, 1878
Herald: January 3, 1885–September 30, 1887; v. 8, no. 25–36; October 7–December 30, 1887; v. 9; 1888; v. 10, no. 1–13; January 4–March 29, 1889
JACKSONVILLE
Illinoisan (w): v. 3, no. 14; April 11, 1840; v. 4, no. 5; Feb. 13, 1841; v. 6, no. 32, 50, 52; November 17, 1843, March 22, April 9, 1844
Illinois Democrat: v. 1, no 3; June 3, 1840
Illinois Statesman (w): v. 1, no. 1–3, 6, 8–9, 11, 13, 15–16, 18–25, 27–30, 33–34, 36–38, 40–45, 47–48, 50–52; April 1843–May 27, 1844
Morgan Journal: v. 6, no. 8; July 21, 1849
Republican (w): v. 25, no. 11; March 14, 1861
Western Star (semi-m): v. 1; 1845 (odd nos.); v. 2, no. 6; March 31, 1846
JOLIET
Republican and Sun: v. 16, no. 211; September 6, 1888
Republican: n. s. v. 2, no. 46; March 21, 1874
Signal, v. 1, no. 29, 30; Dec. 27, 1843, Jan. 3, 1844
Sun (d): v. 6, no. 10; October 6, 1879
KANKAKEE
Herald (w): v. 1, no. 30; April 26, 1873
KASKASKIA
Illinois Intelligencer (w): v. 3, no. 42, 47–48; June 16, July 21, 28, 1819; v. 9, no. 37; December 2, 1825; v. 12–15; March 14, 1829–January 28, 1832 [incomplete]; v. 13, no. 22; September 19, 1829
KNOXVILLE
Diocese: v. 5, no. 1; May, 1877
LEWISTON
Fulton Democrat: v. 15, no. 17; October 22, 1869
LITTLE FORT
Lake County Visiter (sic): v. 1, no. 3, 7, 9, 12, 14, 16, 18–20, 22–4; May 4–October 2, 1847
Porcupine, Little Fort: v. 1–12; March 4, 1845–March 23, 1847
LOWELL
Genius of Liberty: December 19, 1840–April 2, 1842 [complete from v. 1, no. 1]
MARSHALL
Clark County Herald: v. 1, no. 13, 16, 27, 38; 1868–1869; v. 3, no. 9, 49; 1870–1871; v. 8, no. 34, 42, 43, 50, 51; 1875; v. 9, no. 7, 15, 20, 30; 1876; v. 12, no. 43; 1879

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Eastern Illinoisan: v. 2, 4, 6, n. s. 5; 1854–1882; [incomplete]
Hornet: v: 1, no. 4, 9, 13, 14. 25, 27–30, 35, 38, 43; November 1, December 6, 1859; January 3, 10, March 29, April 12, 19, 26, May 3, June 7, 28, August 2, 1860
Illinois State Democrat: v. 2, no. 32; September 31, 1850
Messenger: v. 2, 5, 7, 10, 11, 12, 34; 1866–1884; [incomplete]
Monitor: September, 1886
Telegraph: v. 1, 2, n. s. v. 1, 3; 1852–1856; [incomplete]
MILFORD
Herald: v. 27, no. 16; January 1, 1903
MILLINGTON
Enterprise: September 7, 1876–August 13, 1877
MOLINE
Review: v. 11, no. 2; January 10, 1880
MORRIS
Advertiser: v. 2, no. 1; August 4, 1866
Grundy County Herald v. 1 (o. s. 10) no. 44; February 8, 1865
Herald: v. 20, no. 6; September 17, 1875
Herald and Advertiser: v. 19, no. 21; December 27, 1873
MOUND CITY
Journal: v. 1, no. 46; September 28, 1865
National Emporium: v. 1, no. 18; October 9, 1856
NAUVOO
Hancock Eagle: v. 1, no. 1–4, 6–7, 9–11; April 3, 10, 17, 24, May 8, 15, 29, June 5, 12, 1846
New Citizen: February 24, March 10, 1847
Neighbor: v. 1, 2; 1843–1845
Times and Seasons (m, semi-m): n. 1–6; December, 1839–February 15, 1846
Wasp: 1842
NASHVILLE
Journal: v. 18, no. 23; June 11, 1880
OLNEY
Times (w): v. 3, no. 20; November 19, 1858; v. 4, no. 45, 52; May 18, July 6, 1860; v. 17, no. 22; June 1, 1881
OQUAWKA
Leisure Moments (m): v. 1, nos. 1–11; August, 1870–June, 1871
OTTAWA
American Miller (m): v. 1, no. 1; May, 1873; v. 2, no. 1; May, 1874.
Statesman (w): v. 1, no. 15; March 23, 1869
PALESTINE
Ruralist: v. 1, no. 37; February 19, 1857
PARIS
Illinois Statesman: v. 1, no. 36; November 9, 1838; n. s. v. 1, no. 4; January 31, 1840
PEORIA
Illinois Teacher (m): v. 2, no. 1–11; 1856; v. 3, no. 6, 12; 1857; v. 4; 1858; v. 5, no. 1–3, 8–10, 12; 1859; v. 6, no. 1–2, 4; 1860; v. 10, no. 1–6; 1864; v. 18, no. 7–8; 1872
Memento and Odd Fellows Northwestern Magazine (m): v. 1–5; 1854–1860; v. 7–8; April, 1867–March, 1869
Daily National Democrat: v. 1, no. 56, 65; October 26, November 5, 1865
Peoria Register and Northwestern Gazetteer: v. 1–3; 1837–1839
QUINCY
Courier, Daily Morning: v. 1, no. 10; September 22, 1845
Democrat, Daily: Quincy: v. 1, no. 61; November 2, 1858
Herald: v. 4, no. 2; October 16, 1846; v. 12, no. 263; September 5, 1862; v. 13, no. 219; July 18, 1863; v. 14, no. 18; November 28, 1863
Illinois Bounty Land Register: v. 1, no. 1; April 17, 1835
News, Quincy Daily: no. 156; August 7, 1877
Daily Skirmisher: no. 1–5; October 11–15, 1864
Tribune and Free Soil Banner: v. 1, no. 1; September 13, 1848

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ROBINSON
Constitution: v 19, no. 41; January 3, 1883
ROCK SPRING
Western Pioneer: September 1, 1830; July 17, 1835
ROCKFORD
Forum: v. 4, no. 46–50; v. 5, no. no. 1; January 27, February 3, 10, 17, 24, March 17, 1847
RUSHVILLE
Illinois Republican: v. 1, no. 4; January 2, 1840; extra, February 3, 1840
Test: v. 1, no. 29; Dec. 6, 1838
ST. CHARLES
Better Covenant: v. 2, no. 1–43, no. 51; 1843–1844. [Pub. in Chicago beginning v. 2, no. 14, April 6, 1843]
SHAWNEETOWN
Illinois Gazette: v. 2, no. 22, 40, 41, v. 3, no. 51; March 16, July 29, August 5, 1820; February 2, 1822
Illinois Republican: v. 2, no. 40; Nov 12, 1842
SPRINGFIELD
Illinois Herald: v. 2, no. 13; April 13, 1833
Illinois State Journal: v. 8–25, no. 260; 1855–April 16, 1873; v. 36, no. 175; January 3, 1884; September 13, 1887 [incomplete]
Illinois State Register: 1839–1840; 1849–1857; [incomplete]; n. s. v. 8, no. 7, October 2, 1846
Illinois Synoptical Reporter (bi–m): v. 1, no. 3; December, 1879
Illinois Washingtonian (m): v. 1, no. 1; March 1, 1845
Illinois Unionist and Statesman: v. 1, no. 33; March 9, 1853
Masonic Trowel (m): v. 1, no. 6–11; August–December, 1862; v. 4, no. 12; December 15, 1865; v. 11, n. s. no. 13, 15–17; June, August–October, 1872
Odd Fellows Union (m): v. 1; March, 1866–February, 1867
Sangamon Journal: v. 5–16; 1836–1847 [incomplete]
State Argus (w): v. 1, no. 1; July 10, 1879
STERLING
Gazette: v. 9, no. 24; September 1, 1866; v. 14, no. 34, 43; November 4, 1871; January 6, 1872; v. 16, no. 4, 12, 23; April 5, May 31, August 16, 1873; v. 21, no. 27; April 3, 1875
Republican and Gazette: v. 1, no. 15; June 26, 1858
Standard: v. 1. no. 85; March 8, 1878
VANDALIA
Age of Steam: v. 1, no. 7, 9, 15–17, 22, 24–25, 27–28, 31, 33–37, 39–41, 44, 52; May 20, 1854–June 23, 1855
Fayette Yeoman and Railroad Journal: v. 1, no. 1, 6, 9, 19, 21–22, 32, 35–36, 41; June 23, 1849–May 25, 1850. [Between August 25 and December 1, 1849, title changed to *Fayette Yeoman*]
Fayette County News: v. 3, no. 18; June 10, 1880
Weekly Union: v. 18, no. 19; August 10, 1881
Free Press: v. 1, no. 37, 43, 46, 48, 52; April 6, June 15, July 6, 20, August 31, 1844
Free Press and Illinois Whig: v. 1, no. 14, March 4, 1837; v. 2, no. 14, 47; October 28, 1837; July 28, 1838; v. 3, no. 11, 14, 18, 19, 32, 34, 35, 40, 42, 50; January 10, 24, February 21, 28, June 7, 21, 28, August 2, 16, November 1, 1839; v. 4, no. 6, 10, 18, 23, 26, 27, 31; January 24, February 21, April 24, May 29, June 19, July 24, 1840; v. 1, n. s. no. 21, nos. 25; 1843
Illinois Advocate and State Register (w): January 12, 1833–June 24, 1835
Illinois Intelligencer. (See Kaskaskia)
Illinois Monthly Magazine: v. 1, 2, 1830–1831; 1831–1832
Illinois State Register and Illinois Advocate: n. s. v. 1, no. 7–20; March 25–June 24, 1836 [1837–1839] [with v. 1, no. 20 title changed to *Illinois State Register and People's Advocate*]
Whig and Illinois Intelligencer: n. s. v. 2, no. 18, 33–34, 43, 46–

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VANDALIA
49, 52; August 21, 1833–June 12, 1834, v. 3, no. 1, 8; June 19, August 28, 1834
WARSAW
Signal: January 15, February 10, May 14, 1845 [incomplete]; v. 2, no. 29, 32; September 17, October 29, 1845; v. 3, no. 12, 24, 25, 27; June 17, October 20, 27, November 14, 1846
WATSEKA
Iroquois County Times: v. 9, no. 35; August 30, 1879
WESTFIELD
Pantagraph: v. 2, no. 50; April 28, 1881
WEST YORK
Advance: v. 1, no. 33; August 22, 1884; v. 2, no 33; August 14, 1885

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American Antiquarian and Oriental Journal: v. 1+, April, 1878+. [v. 1, 2, entitled *American Antiquarian*]
American Bee Journal: v. 19, no. 1–16, 18–30, 35–49; 1883.
Botanical Gazette (m): v. 1 +, 1875+ [v. 1, *Botanical Bulletin*]
Bureau: v. 1–3; October, 1869–July, 1872. [v. 1, no. 1–5 subtitle reads *A Chronicle of the Commerce and Manufacturers of Chicago*]
Carriage Journal (m): v. 15, no. 4–v. 18 (inc.); April, 1890–1893
Chicagoer Arbeiter-Zeitung: v. 10, no. 125; October, 1886 +
Chronicle: v. 1, no. 11, 29, 32–36, 38, 40–46; March 15, July 19, August 9–September 6, September 20, October–November 15, 1866; v. 3, no. 38, 53; September 17, December 31, 1868. [v. 1, *Banking and Insurance Chronicle* v. 3 and 38, *Insurance Chronicle*]
Daily Commercial Bulletin: 1871–1886. [1886 + = *Daily Trade Bulletin*]
Chicago Commercial Express: [daily edition of Chicago *Commercial Express and Western Produce Reporter*]; 1864–1867. Discontinued in 1871. [v. for 1864–1866, daily edition of *Well's Commercial Express and Western Produce Reporter*]
Chicago Daily Commercial Letter: v. 3–8; 1858–1863. [In 1868 incorporated with Chicago *Daily Commercial Report*]
Electrotyper: v. 1–5; 1873–1877
Emery's Journal of Agriculture: v. 1–2, no. 14; 1858 (w). [January, 1859 merged with *Prairie Farmer*]
Engineering News: v. 2 +; 1875+
Fackel: v. 4, no. 49 +; April 8, 1883 + [1883–1886 inc.; 1887, 1888, 1890, January 18, 1891–May 22, 1892, December 4, 1892 wanting]
Hospital Bazaar: no. 1–6; November 16–25; 1874. [No more issued]
Industrial World and Iron Worker: v. 11, no. 24–v. 50, no. 11; 1879–March 17, 1898; [v. 11–14, no. 6, Chicago *Commercial Advertiser*]
Investigator: v. 1–37, no. 4; June, 1874–January, 1908
Investigator: v. 1–37, no. 4; June, 1874–January, 1908. [Ceased publication January, 1908, merged with Insurance Field]
Chicago Journal of Commerce: v. 68–72, no. 13; 1896. [Since v. 72, no. 13, Iron and Steel]
Lens: v. 1–2; 1872–1873. [No more published]
Chicago Medical Journal and Examiner: v. 5–58; April, 1849–January, 1889 (m, semi-m, v. 25–26, no. 18) [v. 5–14 = *Northwestern Medical and Surgical Journal*; v. 15–32 = Chicago *Medical Journal*. In September, 1875, Chicago *Medical Journal* and *Medical Examiner* were united]
Chicago Medical Times: v. 1, no. 6+ [v. 1, 3–7, 9–12, 14 inc. v. 8 wanting]; 1869+
National Live Stock Journal: v. 3–9; 1872–1878

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Northwestern Review (w): v. 1, no. 10–v. 11, no. 6; December, 1868–December, 1874. (v. 6 = *Northwestern Weekly Review*)
Printing Press: v. 1–2, no. 3; July, 1875–October, 1876. (v. 1, quarterly, v. 2 bi-monthly) (all pub.)
Railway Age: v. 1–45, June, 1876–May 31, 1908. [v. 16–28 = *Railway Age and Monthly Railroader*; June, 1908, continued as *Railroad Age Gazette*]
Railway and Engineering Review: v. 10, no. 18; May 8, 1875; v. 20, no. 22+; May 29, 1880+ (inc.)[v. 20–35 = *Railway Review*]
Rapid Writer: v. 1–7; January, 1869–November, 1878. [v. 1, published in Boston, Mendon and Andover, Mass.; v. 2–3, in Andover; v. 1–5, (q); v. 6–7, (m)]
Specimen: v. 1–14; 1867–1880
Western Brewer and Journal of the Barley, Malt and Hop Trade: v. 23 +; 1898 +
Western Druggist: v. 3+; 1881+ [v. 6, no. 6 wanting.]
Western Manufacturer: v. 3–9; May, 1879–October, 1881
Western Photographic News: v. 1, no. 4–5; October–November, 1876, v. 1, 1–10, 12; July, 1875–June, 1876.
SPRINGFIELD
Illinois State Register: v. 1, no. 1–36; June 12–September 3, 1847

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CHICAGO
Advance: v. 7–13; 1874–1889
American, Daily Chicago: April 3–November 4, 1839; November 11, 1839–April 7, 1840; April 9–October 3, 1840; October 5, 1840–September 29, 1841; [missing: April 11, 1841]; April 9–October 15, 1842
American Antiquarian and Oriental Journal: v. 1+; 1878+
American Journal of Insanity: v. 1+; 1844+
American Journal of Materia Medica: v. 1, no. 1–4; 1860–1861
Chicagoer Arbeiter-Zeitung: May-December, 1879; 1880.1884; July–December, 1886; 1887–1889.
Botanical Gazette: v. 5, 17–21; 1880–1896
Christian Cynosure: 6–32; 1874–1900
Express, Chicago: October 24, 1842–April 22, 1843
Fackel [Sonntagsblatt der *Chicagoer Arbeiter-Zeitung*]: 1879–1884; 1886–1889
Field Piece: v. 1, 1848
Freie Presse: Die [*Daheim* is the Sunday edition of the *Freie Presse*]. March 11–July 25, 1872 [with *Daheim*]; January 22–December 30, 1873; [with *Daheim;* incomplete]; January 2–June 30, 1873 [with *Daheim;* incomplete]; Continued as
Chicagoer Freie Presse: July 2–December 31, 8174 [with *Daheim*]; Continued [December 14+] as:
Chicagoer Neue Freie Presse: January 2–June 30, 1875 [without *Daheim*]; July 1, 1875–December 31, 1878 [with *Daheim*]; [missing: January 1, 1877]; January 1–June 30, 1879 [with *Daheim* and *Wochen-ausgabe*]; July 1, 1879–December 31, 1882; (mission: January 1, 1880; January 1, 1881); [with *Daheim*] Continued as
Chicagoer Freie Presse (*Morgenblatt*): May 1, 1883–June 30, 1885 [with *Daheim* and *Wochen-ausgabe*]; November 1, 1885–June 26, 1886 lacks *Wochen-ausgabe*; November, 1885–June, 1866; July 1, 1886–June 30, 1891; [missing: December 31, 1888; June 30, 1889] [with *Daheim*]; July 1–December 31, 1891 [with *Daheim* and *Wochen-ausgabe*]; [missing: January 1, 1889]; January 1, 1892–December 31, 1898; [missing: June 30, 1892; June 27–30, 1898]; [with *Daheim* and *Wochen-ausgabe*]; [missing: January 1, 1891]

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Neue Chicagoer Freie Presse (*Abendblatt*): January 2–June 30 1890 [with *Daheim* and *Wochen-ausgabe*]; July 1–December 31, 1890 [with *Daheim* and *Wochen-ausgabe*]; Continued [March 23, 1891+] as:
Neue Chicagoer Freie Presse und Chicagoer Hausfreund-Vereinigtes
Abendblatt: January 2–June 30, 1891 [with *Daheim* and *Wochen-ausgabe*]; July 1, 1891–June 30, 1896 [with *Daheim*]; [missing: January 1, 1892; June 27–30, 1892; January 1, 1894]; July 1–December 31, 1896 [with *Daheim* and *Wochen-ausgabe*]; Continued [December 1, 1896+] as:
Abend-Presse: January 2, 1897–June 20, 1898 [with *Daheim* and *Wochen-ausgabe*]; [missing: July 1, 1897; January 1, 1889): [missing: January 1, 1897]
Chicagoer Freie Presse (Mittagsblatt May1, 1883+): January 2, 1883–December 31, 1884 [with *Daheim* and *Wochen-ausgabe*]; October 29, 1885–November 30 1889 [with *Daheim*]; [missing: January 1, 1887; January 1, 1889]
Higgin's Musical Review: v. 1, no. 1–9; 1866–1867
Inter-Ocean (d): September–December 1871; April–December, 1872; April–December, 1874; January–September, 1875; 1876–1880; January–September, 1881, 1882–1904+
Journal (d): August 31, 1844–April 21, 1845; September–December, 1845; 1846–1850; January–March, November–December, 1851; January–March, 1852; 1853; January–June, October–December, 1854; January–March, 1855; January–March, October–December, 1856; January–June, 1857; 1858–1865; April–December, 1866; January–September, 1867); July–December, 1808; 1869–1870; July–December, 1871; 1872; January–June, 1895; March–December, 1896; 1897–1903; January–March, 1904
Journal (w): 1847–1853; 1863–1872; April–December, 1873; 1874–1894
Journal of Nervous and Mental Disease: v. 1+; 1874+
Chicago Legal Adviser: v. 10–17; no. 44–47, 49–52; 1890, 1891–1897; 1898–1905+; [Continued as *Law Register*]
Legal News: October 14, 1871–December, 1895; July–December, 1897
Lens: v. 1–2; 1872–1873
Living Church: v. 1; 1878
Chicago Medical Examiner: 1–16; 1860–1875. [Continued as below]
Chicago Medical Journal and Examiner: 5–58; 1848–1889
Chicago Medical Times: 1–7, 12+; 1869+
Daily News: May – December, 1877; 1878–1894; 1895; July missing; 1896–1899; January 2–13, 15–31, 1900; February–December, 1900; [missing: April 1; April 15; May 16–31; June 1–15; July 1, 15; September 16–30; December 16]; 1901; [missing: June 16; September 15; October 15, 1901]
Post: December 23, 1860–March 31, 1861; July–December, 1861; July, 1862–December, 1864
Evening Post: June 15, 1894 [special tax list of Cook County]
Chicago Record: May–November, 1893
Republican: November–December 3, 1865; 1866–1871; [missing: October 9, 1870]; January–March,1872
Saturday Evening Herald: v. 43+; 1896+
Tägliche Illinois Staats-Zeitung: January 8–June 29, 1861 [with *Chicago Sonntags-Zeitung*]; July 1–December 31, 1861 [withsame]. Continued [April 14, 1862+] as
Illinois Staats-Zeitung, Tägliche Ausgabe: January 11, 1862–May 8, 1869; [missing: December 31, 1862; December 31, 1863]. Continued as

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Illinois Staats-Zeitung: January 1–September 29, 1866; January 4–June 29, 1867; July 3–December 31, 1867; January 1–June 27, 1868; 1869 [Bd. with 1864]; May 11, 1870–June 30, 1875; [missing: January 1, 1871; October 8–11, 1871; December 31, 1871; June 30, 1872]; July 1–December 31, 1875[with *Der Westen, i.e.*, Sunday issue of the I. S.-Z.]; January 2, 1876–June 30, 1885; [missing: December 31, 1877; January 1, 1878; December 31, 1882; December 31, 1883; June, 1884]; August 9–December 31, 1885; January 1, 1886–April 1, 1901 [missing: December 31, 1880; December 31, 1891; June 29–30, 1892; January 1, 1899; October 1, 1899; December 31, 1899; April 1, 1900; July 1, 1900; September 30, 1900; [January 2, 1876–June 30, 1898, with *Der Westen*]
Illinois Staats-Zeitung, Abendblatt: March 27, 1893–December 31, 1894; [missing: December 31, 1893; July 1, 1894]. Continued (October 24, 1894+) as
Abendblatt: January 2, 1895–July 27, 1899; [missing: January 1, 1895; June 30, 1895; January 1, 1896; January 1, 1897; January 1, 1898; January 1–2, 1899]
Chicago Sonntags-Zeitung, (Sonntags-Ausgabe der Ill. Staats-Zeitung): March 4, 1862–September 28, 1863 [incomplete]; January 17, December 25, 1864 [incomplete]; January 1, 1865–December 29, 1867 [missing: January 1–6, 1866]. Continued as
Der Westen (Sonntags-Ausgabe der I. S. Z.): January 2, 1868–December 26, 1869 [incomplete]; November 22, 1868–June 17, 1869; January 1–October 5, 1871 [Bd. with preceding]; January 2, 1870–October 8, 1871; January 7–December 29, 1872; January 5–December 28, 1873; January 11–December 27, 1874; January 10–December 30, 1900.
Illinois Staats-Zeitung (Wochentliche Ausgabe): January 2, 1862–July 19, 1870 [incomplete]; March 26, 1863–December 27, 1865 [incompete]; January 25, 1866–December 31, 1867; [incomplete]; January 7, 1868–1869; 1872–1884; 1886–1890; 1891–1899; [missing: January 2, 1882]
National Sunday School Teacher: 1–2, 4–8, 10; 1866–1875
Owl: v. 1–2; 1874–1876
Railway Age and Northwestern Railroader: v. 6–7, 11–19; 1881–1894
Times: August 20–December 31, 1857; January–June, October–December, 1858; April–December, 1859; January–March, 1860; October–December, 1866; January–December, 1867; July–December, 1868; April–December, 1869; 1870; January–June, 1871; 1872–1880; February–December, 1881; February–December, 1882; 1883–1890; January–June, 1891, May–October, 1893; 1894
Times - Herald: May – October, 1893; 1894; 1895; 1896; 1897; 1898; 1899; 1900; January–April, 1901. Continued as
Record Herald: May–December, 1901; 1902; 1903; 1904; January–October, 1905
Tribune (d): 1862 [missing: July 1]; 1863; 1864; 1865; [missing: January 1; May 21; December 26–31]; 1866; [missing: July 1]; 1868; 1869; 1870; 1871; [missing: October 9–10]; 1872; [missing: October 9–31]; 1873+
United States Medical Investigator: n. s. v. 1–3, 5–?, 3, v. 23; 1865–1887
Der Westen: January 2, 1881–January 6, 1884; Published on Sunday: January 10, 1884–January 3, 1896. Published on Thursday: January 7, 1895–September 11, 1899. Published on Monday: September 17–December 31, 1899. Published

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on Sunday: 1881–1884: 1887–1889; (missing: December 31, 1882).
ELGIN
Fox River Courier: v. 1, no. 14, 35; November 12, 1851–April 7, 1852.
Gazette: v. 1, no. 13; October 19, 1850; v. 9, no. 9, 30, 48; July 29, December 23, 1863–April 27, 1864; v. 11, no. 4, 32; July 19, 1865–January 31, 1866.
LOCKPORT
Will County Telegraph: v. 1, no. 37; September 27, 1849
PEORIA
Transcript: 1864–1865
SPRINGFIELD
Illinois State Journal: 1864–1865
Illinois Medical Journal: v. 1–14, 17, 19+; 1851+
Illinois Synoptical Reporter: v. 1; 1879
VANDALIA
Illinois Medical Recorder: v. 1; 1878–1879
Illinois Monthly Magazine: v. 1–2; 1830–1832

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CHICAGO
Advance: v. 8–9, 20–56+; 1874–1908+
Alliance and Radical Review: v. 4–5, 9–10; 1876–1883
American Antiquarian and Oriental Journal: v. 1+; 1878+
American Home: v. 1–4, 7–10, 1877–1880
Argus: v. 8, 16–23, 34, 52+; 1878+
Commercial Bulletin, Daily, see *Trade Bulletin, Daily*
Commercial Report, Daily: v. 13, 18–24, 26–27; 1872–1886; [vols. for 1872, 1877–1878 entitled *Daily Commercial Report and Market Review*]
Democratic Press, Daily: 1854–1858
Engineering News: v. 3+; 1876+; [vols. 9–18 entitled *Engineering News and American Contract Journal;* vols., 19+ entitled *Engineering News and American Railway Journal*]
Factory and Farm: v. 5; 1879
Foundlings' Record: v. 4–5, 7–9; 1874–1879
Chicagoer Freie Presse: 1872–1873; 1891–1901
Gem of the West: v. 7–9; 1873–1875; [December nos. of 1874 and 1875 missing]
Hejmdal: 1874–1876
Illinois Staats-Zeitung: 1871+
Sonntags-Zeitung: 1862–1866
Ilustreret Familieblad: v. 1–2, no. 13–15; 1879–1880
Inter-Ocean: 1873+
Evening Journal: 1873–1896
Lakeside Monthly: v. 1–5, 6, no. 31, 33; v. 7–11; 1869–1874
Land Owner: v. 4–5; 1872–1873
Legal News: v. 4–15; 17+; 1871+
Lens: v. 1–2; 1872–1873
Chicago Librarian: v. 1, no. 1–4; 1872–1873
Chicago Magazine: v. 1, no. 1–3, 5; 1857
Evening Mail: 1872
Mining Review: v. 2–12, 15–16; 1879–1886
Musical Bulletin: v. 1–2; 1879–1881
När Och Fjerran: v. 1; 1874–1875
National Live-Stock Journal: v. 1–19; 1870–1888
National Sunday School Teacher: v. 5, 7, 16; 1870–1888
New Covenant: v. 31–32; 1878–1879
Northwestern Review: v. 8–11, no. 1–2, 6; 1873–1874
Post: 1876–1878 [continued *Post and Mail*]
Post and Mail: 1874–1876 [continues as *Post*]
Presbyterian Expositor: v. 1–2; 1857–1859
Railroad Gazette: v. 1–15, 30–45+; 1870–1908+
Railway Review: v. 14+; 1877+
Record: v. 1–2, no. 3–12; 3, no. 1–20, 22–24; 4, no. 1–10, 12–24; 5; 1857–1862. [Vol. 2–3 entitled *Church Record*]
Song Messenger: v. 12; 1874

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Sonntags-Zeitung: see *Illinois Staats Zeitung*
Standard: v. 23, 48, 50+; 1875–1908+; no. 1 of v. 23 missing
Sunday-School Teacher: v. 1; 1866
Svornost: 1875–1900
Telegraph: 1876
Times: 1861–1895
Trade Bulletin, Daily: 1871–1875–1900. (Vols. previous to 1888 entitled *Daily Commercial* Bulletin)
Tribune: 1861+
Union, Chicago: 1873
Unity: v. 4–33; 2d ser., 1, 3–5, 41+; 1879. (New series entitled *New Unity*)
Voice of Masonry: v. 11, 13–17; 1873–1879
Voice of the Fair: 1; 1865
Vorbote: 1874–1885
Western Confectioner and Baker: v. 1 6–7; 1879–1885
Western Manufacturer: v. 3–5, 7–10; 1876–1882
Western Postal Record: v. 6; 1873–1874
Western Shoe and Leather Review: v. 1–3; 1877–1878
Young Folks' Monthly: no. 50–61; 1875
Young Folks' Rural: v. 5–6; 1878–1879
Zeichen der Zeit: v. 1; 1869
PEORIA
Illinois Teacher: v. 2–5, 7–11, 3–16; 1856–1870
Memento: v. 7–8
QUINCY
Western Agriculturist: v. 7–29; 1875–1897
SPRINGFIELD
Illinois State Journal: 1873
Odd-Fellows Union: v. 1; 1876–1867
North Park College. No report
St. Ignatius Library. No report
St. Stanislaus Library. No report
Union Catholic Library Association Library. No report
Universtity of Chicago Library. No files of newspapers; no report of periodicals.

CHICAGO HEIGHTS
Free Library. No report
COAL CITY
Public Library. No report
CORDOVA
Public Library. No report
CREAL SPRINGS
Creal Springs College Library. No report
DAKOTA
College of Northern Illinois Library No files
DANVERS
Library and Literary Association Library. No report
DANVILLE
Public Library
DANVILLE
Commercial: 1866–1879
Independent: Partial file
News (w): 1873–1874
News (d):. 1876–1902
Plaindealer: 1865–1867
Spectator: Files
Times: 1868–1875
Vermillion County Press: v. 2 and 3
SHAWNEETOWN
Gallatin Democrat and Illinois Advertiser: v. 1, no. 4
DECATUR
Free Public Library
Herald: Files
Republican (d): April 1, 1872–December 31, 1880
Republican (w): July 30, 1868–July 18, 1872
Review: Files
James Milliken University Library. No files
DE KALB
Northwestern Illinois State Normal School Haish Library. No files
DIXON
Dixon College Library. No report
Public Library. No files
DOWNER'S GROVE
Ladies' Library Association Library. No files
DUNDEE
Public Library. No report
EARLVILLE
Public Library. No report
EAST ST. LOUIS
Public Library. No files

EDWARDSVILLE
Public Library. No report
EFFINGHAM
Austin College Library. No report
Ladies' Library Association Library. No report
ELGIN
Gail Borden Public Library
News (d): June 1, 1876 to date
ELKHART
Public Library. No files
EL PASO
Public Library.
Journal: v. 42, no. 47–v. 45, no. 20; February 23, 1907–August 14, 1909
EUREKA
Eureka College Library. No files
EVANSTON
Free Public Library
CHICAGO
Little Corporal: v. 15, 16; 1872–1873
Northwestern University, Orrington Lunt Library. No files of newspapers. See John Crerar Library, *List of Serials in Public Libraries of Chicago and Evanston*
Evanston Historical Society Library.
EVANSTON
Vidette: v. 1–3
EWING
Ewing College Library. No report
FAIRBURY
Public Library. No report
FARMER CITY
Library Association Library. No report
FLORA
Public Library and Free Reading Room. No files
FRANKLIN PARK
Free Lending Library. No files
FREEPORT
Public Library. No report
FULTON
Northern Illinois College Library. No report
Public Library. No report
GALENA
Public Library and Reading Room. No files
GALESBURG
Knox College Library. No report
Lombard College Library. No report
Public Library
Knoxiana: October 1855–July, 1857
Knox Student: 1879
Oak Leaf: October, 1856–June 1857
GENESEO
Public Library. No files
GENEVA
Public Library. No files
GILMAN
Public Library. No files
GLADSTONE
New Church Free Library. No report
GREENUP
Public Library. No report
GREENVILLE
Greenville College Library. No report
Public Library. No files
GRIGGSVILLE
Public Library. No files
HAMILTON
Public Library.
Representative: April 2, 16, June 15, July 1, 15, September 1, October 1, 1860; August 10, September 10, 1862
HARLEM
Harlem Library. No report
HARVEY
Library Association Library. No report
Public Library. No files
HAVANA
Public Library. No files
HENRY
Woman's Club Library. No files
HIGHLAND PARK
Public Library. No files
HILLSBORO
Public Library and Reading Room. No files
HINSDALE
Public Library. No files
HOMER
Homer Library. No report
HOOPESTON
Greer College Library. No report
Public Library. No files
JERSEYVILLE
Free Library. No files
JOLIET
Public Library
JOLIET
Courier: v. 1, 3 nos.
News: April, 1877 to date

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Public Library
JOLIET
Republican: 1884 to date
Signal: 1846–1888
Sun: 1862–1867 complete
LOCKPORT
Telegraph: 1849
KANKAKEE
Public Library. No report
KANSAS
Margaret E. Payne Public Library. No report
KEWANEE
Public Library.
Advertiser: Partial files
Courier: Partial files
Public School Messenger: Partial files
Union Democrat: Partial files
KNOXVILLE
Public Library. No report
LA GRANGE
Free Public Library. No files
LAKE FOREST
Lake Forest College, Reid Library. No files
Public Library. No files
LA HARPE
Public Library. No files
LA SALLE
Public Library. No files
LEBANON
McKendree College Library. No report
LEWISTOWN
Carnegie Public Library. No files
LEXINGTON
Library and Reading Room. No report
LINCOLN
Lincoln College Library. No report
Public Library. No files
LITCHFIELD
Carnegie Public Library. No files
LODA
A. Herr Smith and E. E. Smith Public Library. No files
LOMBARD
Free Library. No files
McLEAN
Library Association Library. No files
MACOMB
Free Public Library. No files
Western Illinois State Normal School Library. No files
MATTOON
Public Library. No files
MAYWOOD
Public Library. No report
MELROSE PARK
Public Library. No report
MENDOTA
Graves Public Library.
Observer: May–October, 1859; May, 1860; July, 1861
Press (w): June, 1858–May, 1859
Mendota College Library. No report
METROPOLIS
R. W. McCartney Public Library. No files
MILFORD
Public Library. No report
MOLINE
Public Library.
Review: May, 1873–December, 1879, incl.
Workmen: September, 1854–February, 1857
MONMOUTH
Monomuth College Library. No report
Warren County Library Association Library
MONMOUTH
Atlas: No. 1, October 30, 1846 to date, except vols. 12, 13 and 27 (yearly vols.)
Democrat: No. 2–34, August, 1853–March, 1853
Review: No. 1, December 28, 1855, to date, except 6 nos. at the end of vol. 12 and the beginning of v. 13 (yearly vols.)
PEORIA
Democratic Press: February, 1842–February, 1843
Register: April, 1842–March, 1843
MONTICELLO
Allerton Library. No files
MORGAN PARK
George C. Walker Library. No report
MORRISON
Literary and Scientific Association Library. No report
MOUNT CARROLL
Public Library. No report
MOUNT MORRIS
Mount Morris College, Cassel Library. No files

MOUNT STERLING
Mount Sterling Library. No report
NAPERVILLE
Nichols Library. No files
Northwestern College Library.
College Chronicle: 1873–1875, 1883 to date
NEPONSET
Public Library. No files
NORMAL
Illinois State Normal Universtiy Library. No files
OAK PARK
Public Library, Scoville Institute. No files
ODELL
Public Library. No report
OLNEY
Public Library. No files
ONARGA
Public Library. No report
OQUAWKA
Public Library. No report
OREGON
Public Library. No report
OTTAWA
Reddick's Library
OTTAWA
Free Trader: 1850 to date
Republican Times: 1856 to date
PERU
Chronicle (d): 1853–1854
PARIS
Carnegie Library. No files
PAXTON
Carnegie Library. No files
PEKIN
Public Library. No files
PEORIA
Public Library
Democratic Press (d): January 1854–December, 1855
Democratic Press (w): February, 1840–January, 1857
Democratic Union (d): v. 6–8, 1858–1859(?); June, 1860–September, 1862.(Part of 1858 bound with Peoria *Daily Morning News*)
Evening Review: January 1875–October, 1884
Morning Mail: October–December, 1862, bound with Peoria *Democratic Union*, 1862; January, 1863–June, 1864
Morning News (d): December 9, 1854; February 26–28; March 3; May 3, 4, 14, 17, 1855
National Democrat (d): September, 1865–June, 1886
Peoria Register and Northwestern Gazetteer: September, 1837–March, 1838; April, 1840–February, 1843
Press (tri-w): January, 1853–January, 1854
Republican (w): January, 1852–July, 1857
Transcript (d): December 20, 1855–December, 1898
Transcript (w): October, 1857–December, 1892
PERU
St. Bede College Library. No report
PITTSFIELD
Public Library. No report
PLANO
Public Library. No report
POLO
Buffalo Free Public Library. No files
Polo Historical Society Library.
MOUNT MORRIS
Gazette (w): March 13, 20, 1851
PONTIAC
Public Library. No report
PRINCETON
Matson Library. No report
QUINCY
Free Public Library and Reading Room
Herald: Partial file
Whig: Partial file
RIVER FOREST
Public Library. No file
ROCHELLE
Flagg Township Library. No report
ROCKFORD
Public Library
Forum: Files
Free Press: Partial file
Hornet: Complete file, 1874–February, 1875
Industrial Times: complete file, Feburary, 1874
Republican: 1855–1862
Rock River Express: Nearly complete file, 1840–1841
Spirit Advocate: File
Star: File

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Public Library
Times: Complete file, February, 1875–February, 1876
Rockford College Library. No report
ROCK ISLAND
Augustana College Library
No report
Public Library
CHICAGO
Democrat: February 8, 1837
GRAFTON
Backwoodsman: November 3, 1837
ROCK ISLAND
Advertiser: March 3, 1853–February 12, 1857
Argus (d): September 16, 1856, to date
Argus (w): January 2, 1856–December 26, 1866
Banner and Stephenson Gazette: v. 1, no. 1–v. 2, no. 9; August 24, 1839–October 30, 1840
Commercial (d): July 5, 1855–January 31, 1859
Register (tri-w): February 5–August 4, 1859
Republican: October 18, 1851–December 26, 1855
Rock Islander: September 19, 1854–August 26, 1859; January 5, 1878–December 31, 1892
Union (d): July 1, 1867, to date
Union (w): November 5, 1862–December 20, 1866
ROCKTON
Talcott Free Library. No report
ROSEVILLE
Public Library. No report
RUSHVILLE
Library Association Library. No files
ST. ANNE
Ladies' Library. No report
ST. CHARLES
Library Association Library. No report
SALEM
Bryan-Bennett Library. No report
SAVANNAH
Public Library. No files
SHEFFIELD
Public Library. No report
SHELBYVILLE
Free Public Library. No files
SMITHTON
Smithton Leseverein. No files
SPRINGFIELD
Concordia College Library. No files
Lavinia Beach Free Reading Rooms. No report
Lincoln Library. No files

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ALTON
Altonian: v. 1, no. 1; March 13, 1838
Courier (d): v. 2, no. 185, 301–303; January 6, June 1–3, 1854; v. 3, no. 5, 7–10, 12–17, 19, 21, 23–27, 29–61, 63–97, 101–124, 127–129, 133, 135–143, 145–181, 183–234, 236–316; June 5, 1854–May 30, 1855; v. 6, no. 1–299; June 1, 1857–May 31, 1858; v. 7, no. 1–313; June 1, 1858–May 31, 1859. [No. 242 missing]
Illinois Temperance Herald: v. 3, no. 4; September, 1838
Observer: v. 3, nos. 36–41, 43–52; September 8, 1836–January 26, 1837; v. 4, nos. 1–11, 14–26, 28; February 2–August 10, 1837; v. 4, nos. 30, 31, 38, 39, 40, 41–46; December 28, 1837–April 19, 1838
Presbytery Reporter: v. 3, no. 8–21; January, 1856–May, 1857; v. 4, no. 1–8, 10–14, 16, 18–25; July, 1857–August, 1859; v. 5, no. 1–13, 15–17; September, 1859–August, 1863; v. 6, no. 3–5; March–May, 1864
Reporter of the Synod of Southern Illinois and its Presbyteries: v. 8, no. 6, March, 1871
Spectator: n. s. v. 1, no. 6; November 12, 1834; v. 3, no. 38, 43, 44; July 20–August 31, 1837; v. 4, no. 52; December 7, 1838; v. 5, no. 1; January 3, 1839
Taper (m): v. 1, no. 8, 11; January, May, 1841
Telegraph: v. 3, no. 16, May 2, 1832
Telegraph (d): v. 2, no. 190; Jan. 4, 1854

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Telegraph and Madison County Record: v. 19, no. 2; January 13, 1854
BEARDSTOWN
Beardstown and Petersburg Gazette: v. 1, no. 30, 48; June 30, November 3, 1853
Chronicle: v. 1, no. 37–39, 41–43; March 8–April 19, 1834
Daily Central Illinoisan: v. 1, no. 31; February 7, 1859; v. 25, no. 5; November 24, 1881
Democrat: v. 3, no. 15, 21; June 13, August 22, 1861
Gazette: v. 2, no. 26, 29, 40, 45–52, February 12–August 27, 1847; v. 3, no. 1, 2, 4, 5, 7, 10–13, 36, 38, 44–52; September 3, 1847–September 6, 1848; v. 4, no. 1–11, 13–16, 18, 19; September 13, 1848–February 7, 1849; v. 6, no. 17–22, 28–39, 42, 45–52; April 23–December 31, 1851; v. 7, no. 3–13, 15–19, 21–25, 27–34; January 21–August 25, 1852
BELLEVILLE
Advocate: v. 11, no. 9–52; June 20, 1850–April 17, 1851; v. 12, no. 1–18; April 24–August 21, 1851
Eagle: v. 1, no. 2; August 1, 1853
Politician: v. 1, no. 1–2, 7; April 13, 20; June 8, 1844
BELVIDERE
Standard: v. 15, no. 42; January 22, 1867
BLOOMINGTON
Central Illinois Times: v. 2, no. 8; February 10, 1854
Illinois Teacher: see Peoria
Intelligencer: v. 6, no. 7; January 7, 1852; v. 7, no. 6; January 19, 1853
Pantagraph: v. 13, no. 4; December 29, 1858
CAIRO
Democrat (d): v. 2, no. 150–153, 155, 161–163, 165–171, 173–176, 179, 181–194, 199–208, 210–214, 216–217, 219–220, 228, 230–231, 233–236, 241–247, 251–256, 259, 261–269, 274, 278–281, 287, 289, 294–295, 298, 300, 302, 304; February 22–September 1, 1865; v. 3, no. 3, 6–7, 12–15, 18, 21–22, 26, 29, 40, 50, 56, 63, 65–68, 75, 79, 89, 91, 196, 204–205, 208, 213, 217–221, 224–225, 227, 230, 232, 234, 237, 240, 242–243, 246–250, 252, 256, 258–260, 264–271; September 3, 1865–July 11, 1866
CANTON
Register: v. 3, no. 48; August 7, 1852
CARLINVILLE
Democrat: v. 13, no. 11; November 12, 1868
Macoupin Statesman: v. 1, no. 3; March 18, 1852
CHAMPAIGN
Union and Gazette: v. 16, no. 18; March 21, 1867
CHICAGO
American Churchman: v. 5, no. 1, 3–33, 35–52; April 5, 1866–March 28, 1867; v. 6, no. 1–39; April 4–December 26, 1867
Journal: January 27, 1854
Evening Journal: v. 27, no. 177–178, 182–184, 186–187, 189, 191, 193–194, 196–197, 202, 205; November 3–December 6, 1865; v. 28, nos. 1, 2, 6, 12, 14, 16, 17, 19, 21–24, 26, 28, 29, 31–44, 46, 48–70, 72–73, 75–82, 85, 88, 98, 105, 111; December 12, 1865–April 21, 1866; v. 23, nos. 1, 4–8, 11, 14–17, 21, 23, 26, 27, 28, 30, 31, 34, 36, 37, 40, 42, 43, 45–51, 53–56, 58, 60, 62, 66, 69–71, 73, 82; April 23, 1866–July 27, 1866
Lakeside Monthly: v. 7, no. 28–42; February–June, 1872; v. 8, no. 43–48; July–December, 1872
Legal News: 1871–1901
Chicago Magazine, The West As It Is: v. 1, no. 1; March, 1857
Northwestern Church: v. 1–2; April 1, 1862–March 15, 1864; v. 3, nos. 1–23, 25–42; April 7, 1864–March 30, 1865; v. 4, no. 1–34, 36, 38–48; April 6, 1865–March 29, 1866
Northwestern Educator: v. 3, no. 1, 3; 1849; v. 4, no. 1, 2; 1849
Prairie Farmer: 1846–1852, 1854–1855, 1867–1868

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Press and Tribune (d): v. 12, no. 59, 67, 82, 85; September 9–October 9, 1858
Chicago Pulpit: v. 1, no. 1–3; December 30, 1871–January 13, 1872
Chicago Record: v. 1, no. 1–12; April 1, 1857–March 1, 1858
Church-Record: v. 2, no. 1–12; April 1, 1858–March 1, 1859; v. 3, no. 1–24; April 1, 1859–March 15, 1860
Chicago Record: v. 4, no. 1, 2, 3, 5–11, 13–24; April 1, 1860–March 15, 1861; v. 5, nos. 2–24; April 15, 1861–March 15, 1862
Republican: v. 2, no. 132, 188; November1,1866-January 9, 1867
Times: v. 6, no. 345; July 1, 1860; v. 9, nos. 16–108, 110, 113–125, 127–132, 134–153, 155–157, 159–177, 179–193, 195–200, 202–222, 224–237, v. 9, nos. 240–249, 251–274, 276–303, 305–308; September 7, 1863–August 22, 1864; v. 10, no. 1–10, 12–17, 19, 21–32, 33–78, 80–82, 85–89, 91; June 1–December 19, 1864; v. 10, no. 21, December 21, 1864 (new numbering), 22–28, 31, 33–42, 44–50, 52–54, 57–58, 60–64, 66–68, 70–71, 73–81, 83–88, 91, 93, 94, 95, 97, 98, 99, 100–103, 105–107; December 21, 1864–March 29, 1865; v. 11, no. 108, (March 30, 1865), 109–113, 115–119; April 12, 1865; v. 11, no. 110 (April 13, 1865) (New numbering), 111–115, 117–124, 126–133, 135–140, 142, 144, 145–157, 159–166; June 16, 1865; v. 11, no. 197 (June 17, 1865,) (new numbering), 198–104, 206–321; July 15, 1865
Tribune: o. s. v. 8, no.?; January 21, 27, 1854; v. 17, no. 53–58, 60–63, 69, 70, 72, 73, 75, 76, 77, 79–84, 86, 88, 89, 90, 91, 93, 95–98, 100–105, 107–112, 114, 115, 117, 119, 122–126, 126 (?), 128–133, 135–138, 140, 142–147, 149–154, 156–161, 163–167, 169–172, 178–180, 182–187, 189–190, 192–193. 197–208, 210–216, 218–220, 223, 225–226, 228, 230, 232–235, 237–242, 244–250, 252–255, 257–268, 270–275, 277–280, 282, 284–289, 291–294, repeats numbering–270–276, 278–283, 285, 286, 288–290, 292–297, 299, 300–304, 306–311, 313–318, 320–325, 327–331, 333–334, 336–338, 340–343, 345–346, 348–351; September 7, 1863–1864; v. 18, no. 25–26, 28–32, 34–39, 41–44, 46, 48–50, 52, 53, 55, 57–60, 62–63, 65–67, 69, 71–74, 76–81, 83–86, 90–94, 96–102, 104–109, 111–116, 118–122, 125–130, 132–137, 139–142, 144, 146–150, 152, 153–157, 159–171, 173–177, 179–183, 185–190, 192–197, 199–204, 206, 208–211, 213–214, 216–218, 220, 221–225, 227–232, 234–239, 241–246, 248–250, 252–253, 255–256, 258–259, 262, 263–266; 269, 270, 271–280, 282, 283, 286–287, 289–296, 298–300, 302, 303, 305–306, 310, 312–313, 316–321, 323–328, 330–331, 333, 334; June 9, 1865; v. 19, no. 1, 3–4, 6–8, 10–12, 14, 17–22, 24, 26–27, 30–35, 38–42, 44–45, 47, 49, 51, 56, 58–59, 61–63, 65–70, 72–73, 76–77, 79–81, 86–87, 89–90, 102, 104–108, 110–111, 116–121, 123–128, 130–131, 133, 137–142, 144–145, 147–148, 151–156, 159, 161–163, 165–169, 172–174, 176–177, 179, 183, 189, 192–193, 195, 199–202, 206–207, 210; June 10–December 30, 1865; v. 20, no. 226, 257; January 20–February 20, 1867; v. 21, no. 25; December 19, 1867
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DIXON
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Journal: v. 6, no. 9, 24; March 13–June 29, 1854

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Backwoodsman: v. 1, no. 37, June 21, 1838
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Genius of Universal Emanicapition: v. 16, no. 1, 3; November 9, 1838–March 8, 1839
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Daily Constitutionist: v. 1, no. 110, 112; June 13, 15, 1854
Illinois Sentinel: v. 2, no. 15, 17; May 16, 30, 1856
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Illinois Statesman: v. 1, no. 1–48, 50–52; April 29, 1843–May 27, 1844
Independent: v. 1, no. 20; September 9, 1869
Tri-weekly Evening Journal: v. 1, no. 29; June 17, 1850
Journal (w): v. 18, no. 3 July; 4, 1861; v. 22, no. 38; March 1, 1866; v. 23, no. 33, 37; January 24–February 21, 1867; v. 24, no. 39; March 5, 1868; v. 25, no. 22; November 5, 1868; v. 26, no. 13, 28; September 2–December 16, 1869. Continued as
Morgan Journal (w): v. 6, no. 8; July 21, 1849; v. 7, no. 4, 18, 19, 25, 39, 42–43, 45; June 22, 1850–April 12, 1851; v. 8, no. 49, 52; May 15, June 5, 1852; v. 9, no. 1–6, 8–9, 24, 34, 44, 47, 49, 52; June 12, 1852–June 2, 1853; v. 10, no. 3–4, 8–9, 11, 14, 17, 29, 34, 37; June 23, 1853–February 16, 1854; v. 11, no. 2, 5–10, 21, 23, 34; June 15, 1854–February 1, 1855; v. 12, no. ?, 50; February 21–May 29, 1856; v. 13, no. 1–3; 26–27; 31; June 19, 1856–January, 22, 1857; v. 14, no. 18; October 22, 1857; v. 15, no. 33; February 3, 1859
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Prairie State: v. 4, no. 20; January 14, 1854
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Illinois Herald: v. 1, no. 30; Wednesday, December 13, 1814
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NAUVOO
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Times and Seasons: v. 5, no 1–24; January 1, 1844–January 1, 1844 [Should be January 1, 1845]
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Temperance Magazine: v. 1, no. 2; August, 1867
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Menard County Times: v. 5, no. 11; October 25, 1877
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Sangamon Journal: v. 1, no. 4–10; November 10, 1831–January 12, 1832. [Name changed v. 1, no. 11 to *Sangamo Journal*]
Sangamo Journal: v. 1, no. 11–52; January 19–November 3, 1832; v. 2, no. 53–104; November 10, 1832–November 2, 1833; v. 3, no. 105–156; November 9, 1833–November 1, 1834; v. 4, no. 157–185, 188–204; November 8, 1834–October 3, 1835; v. 4, no. 51–52 (whole no. 208–209). October 24–31, 1835; v. 5, no. 1, 3–4, 7, 9, 10–53, (whole number 209–261); November 7, 1835–November 5, 1836; v. 6, no. 2–52; November 11, 1836–October 28, 1837; v. 7, no. 1–2, 4–24, 27–45, 47, 51–53; November 4, 1837–October 27, 1838; v. 8, no. 2–8, 10–23, 25 30–52; November 3, 1838– October 12, 1839; v. 9, no. 1–8; (whole nos. 416–423); October 18–December 6, 1839
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Sangamo Journal (w): v. 10, no. 26, 28–32, 26–48, 50–52; (whole nos. 496, 498–502, 504–511, 513–516, 518–520); March 5–August 20, 1841; v. 10, no. 1–28, 28(?)–38, 41–42, 45–47, 47 (?)–52; August 27, 1841–August 19, 1842; v. 11, no. 1–10; August 26–October 28, 1842; v. 12, no. 11–22, 22(?)–24, 26–28; November 1842–February 23, 1843; v. 13, no. 39; May 9, 1844; v. 14, no. 2–4, 6–8, 10–13, 15, 17–31, 33, 35–42, 44–45, 47–52; August 22, 1844–August 7, 1845; v. 15, no. 16–18, 21–53; November 27, 1845–August 13, 1846; v. 16, no. 2–13, 15, 17–45, 45(?)–51; August 20, 1846–July 9, 1847; v. 16, (new numbering); no. 25–26, 28–42, 44, 46, 47; April 8–September 3, 1847; v. 17, no. 1, 3–5, 1(?)–5, whole no. 830, 830(?), 831, 831(?), 833–837; July 20–September 3, 1847. Continued as
Illinois Journal (w): v. 17, no. 6–8, 10–27, 29–43, 45–51; September 10, 1847–August 2, 1848; v. 18, no. 1–6, 8–9, 12–35, 37, 40–50; August 9, 1848–July 18, 1849; v. 19, no. 1–21; August 8–December 26, 1849; v. 20; January 23, 1850–December 22, 1852; August 1, 1855–December 31, 1856; January–December 1873
Illinois State Journal (w): January–December, 1874
Illinois Journal (w): January–December, 1875
Illinois Daily Journal: January 2–December 31, 1849; January 23–December 29, 1852; January 1, 1852–December 31, 1853; January 2,–June 5, July 11–December 31, 1855; January 2–June

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Illinois Advocate and State Register: v. 4, no. 34–40; February 18–April 1, 1835
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Illinois State Register and Illinois Advocate: (v. 1, no. 7 and v. 5, no. 36) = v. 1, no. 7–19; March 25–June 17, 1836
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Illinois State Register (w): v. 1, no. 41; December 2, 1836; v. 1, no. 41(?); December 9, 1836
Illinois State Register (semi-w): v. 1, no. 1–3; December 8–15, 1836
Illinois State Register nad People's Advocate (w): v. 1, no. 43; December 23, 1836; v. 2, no. 5–21; March 24–July 28, 1837; v. 2, no. 20; August 4, 1837; v. 2, no. 21–35; August 7, 1837–?; v. 2, no. 36–40, 42–44, 51–52; August 7, 1837–March 2, 1838; v. 3, no. 1–23, 25–37, 39; March 9–December 7, 1838; v. 3, no. 52; March 8, 1839; v. 4, no. 1–21; March 15–August 2, 1839
Illinois State Register and People's Advocate (semi-w): v. 1, no. 6–7, 11–13, 20–21, December 29, 1836–March 6, 1837
State Register (w): December 11, 13, 25, 28, 1838; January 1, 8, 15, 22, 29, 1839
Illinois Intelligencer: v. 7, no. 3–52; December 7, 1822–January 30, 1824; v. 8, no. 1–6; February 13–March 19, 1824; v. 8, no. 8–33, 35–52; May 7(?), 1824–March 11, 1825; v. 9, no. 1–3, 5–11, 13–17, 17(?), 19–36, 38–52; March 8, 1825–March 16, 1826; v. 10, no 31–33; October 28–November 11, 1826
Vandalia Whig and Illinois Intelligencer: v. 1, no. 23; August 22, 1832
WINCHESTER
Western Unionist: v. 1, no. 14, 37; June 6–November 14, 1851
SPRING VALLEY
Public Library. No report
STERLING
Public Library. No files
STREATOR
Public Library
SYCAMORE
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CHICAGO
Inter-Ocean: A few copies, 1874
Sunday Times: 1872–1874
Sunday Tribune: 1872–1874; January–November, 1875
Western Rural: 1872–1873
DE KALB
De Kalb County News: March 1867–February, 1869
De Kalb County Sentinel: May 1859–May, 1861
SYCAMORE
Republican and Sentinel: October, 1861–January, 1865
Republican Sentinel: May, 1854–January, 1858
True Republican: September, 1857–June, 1861
TAYLORVILLE
Public Library. No files

TEUTOPOLIS
St. Joseph's College Library. No report
TISKILWA
Public Library. No files
TOULON
Public Library. No report
TUSCOLA
Public Library. No files
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Central Illinois Gazette: November 18, 1864–March 16, 1866
Gazette and Union: March 4, 1868–October 19, 1870
Union and Gazette: April 20, 1866–November 13, 1867

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Knox County Democrat: v. 6, no. 30; February 24, 1876
ALBION
Independent: v. 11, no. 50; February 24, 1876
Journal: v. 7, no. 30; Feburary 26, 1876
ALEDO
Weekly Record: v. 19, no. 36; February 23, 1876
ALTON
Daily Morning Courier: v. 1, 2; May 29, 1852–May 31, 1854
Weekly Courier: v. 3; June 1, 1854–May 31, 1855
Illinois Temperance Herald (m): v. 1, no. 1–4; June 1–September, 1836
Missouri and Illinois Temperance Herald and Washingtonian: v. 3, no. 9; February, 1839; v. 5 no. 4, September, 1840; v. 5, no. 7, January, 1841; v. 6, no. 1, October, 1841, no. 6, January, 1842
Telegraph and Democratic Review: v. 8, 10; January 7, 1843–December 27, 1845
Telegraph: v. 11–17; January 3, 1846–December 31, 1852
Telegraph, Daily: v. 15. no. 21; February 22, 1876
AMBOY
Journal: v. 20, no. 50; March 15, 1876
ANNA
Farmer and Fruit Grower: v. 6, 1882, complete; v. 5–9, 1882–1886 incomplete
AURORA
Beacon (s-w): v. 29, no. 9–10; March 1, 10, 1876
Herald: v. 10, no. 41; March 11, 1876
Daily News: v. 3, no. 21; February 24, 1876
Volksfreund: v. 8, no. 9; February 26, 1876
BATAVIA
News: v. 7, no. 44; February 25, 1876
BELLEVILLE
Advocate: v. 23, no. 43; August 8, 1862; v. 37, no. 22; February 25, 1876
Democrat: v. 19, no. 2; January 6, 1876
Stern des Westens (d): v. 11, no. 201; February 22, 1876
Treu-Bund: v. 3, no. 19–20, February 18, 25, 1876
Zeitung: v. 28, no. 7, 8; February 17, 24, 1876
BELVIDERE
Northwestern: v. 10, no. 6; February 25, 1876
BENTON
Standard: v. 23, no. 32; February 24, 1876
BLOOMINGTON
McLean County Deutsche Presse: v. 5, no. 49; February 19, 1876
Pantagraph: v. 30, no. 6; February 11, 1876
Post: v. 3, no. 6; February 19, 1876
Leader: v. 8, no. 11; February 17, 1876
Leader (d): v. 7, no. 306; February 19, 1876
BRIGHTON
Advance: v. 5, no. 44; February 23, 1876
BRIMFIELD
Gazette: v. 1 no 11; February 24, 1876
CAIRO
Cairo Argus and Mound City Journal: v. 12, no. 14; February 26, 1876

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Bulletin: v. 7, no. 359; February 22, 1876
Evening Sun: v. 5, no. 275; February 22, 1876
Weekly Sun and Commercial: n. s. v. 3, no. 15; February 23, 1876
CAMBRIDGE
Prairie Chief: v. 9, no. 442; February 26, 1876
CANTON
Register: n. s. v. 1, no. 1, whole no. 1376; March 3, 1876
CARTHAGE
Gazette: v. 11, no. 35; February 9, 1876
Republican: v. 23, no. 1151; April 12, 1876
CHAMPAIGN
Central Illinois Gazette: v. 1–4, March 10, 1858–February 26, 1862; v. 13, no. 47–50, October 14, 1864–November 4, 1864; v. 14, 15, no. 1–21; November 11, 1864–April 6, 1866. Changed to
Union and Gazette: v. 15, no. 22–v. 18, no. 15; April 13, 1866–February 24, 1869 Changed to
Champaign County Gazette: v. 18, no. 16+; March 3, 1869+
Champaign Daily Gazette: v. 1, no. 1+; November 5, 1883+
CHATSWORTH
Plaindealer: v. 3, no. 16; February 19, 1876
CHICAGO
Advent Christian Times: v. 13, no. 27; February 23, 1876
American Builder and Journal of Art: 1871
Botanical Gazette: v. 1+; November, 1875+[v. 9–11 incomplete]
Carl Pretzel's Illustrated Weekly: v. 2, no. 28; February 26, 1876
Morning Courier: v. 5, no. 44; February 22, 1876
Daheim (Sunday): v. 6, no. 9; February 27, 1876
Democrat: v. 3, no. 33 (n. s. v. 1, no. 3); December 7, 1836
Democratic Advocate and Commercial Advertiser: v. 1, no. 3; February 17, 1844
Eulenspiegel: v. 4, no. 6; February 12, 1876
Evening Lamp: v. 7, no. 10; February 26, 1876
Farm, Field and Stockman: v. 9–10; December, 1885+; November 26, 1887
Farmer's Review: v. 10–13, 15–24, 28, 30+; 1883–1884, July–December, 1885, 1886–1893, 1897, 1899+
Freie Presse, Chicagoer: v. 6, no. 45; February 22, 1876
Gem of the Prairie: v. 5, no. 20; October 7, 1848
Illinois Staats-Zeitung: v. 29, no. 45
Industrial Age: v. 3, no. 19; February 12, 1876
Inter-Ocean (w): February 24, 1876
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Evening Journal: v. 21, no. 69; March 25, 1862; v. 32, no. 259; February 22, 1876
Landlord and Tenant: v. 1, no. 52; February 19, 1876
Legal News: v. 3+; 1872+
Lens: v. 1–2; 1872–1873
National Live Stock Journal: v. 1, 3–11, 13–18; 1870–August, 1871; January, 1872–1880; January, 1882–1887
Norden: v. 3, no. 8; February 24, 1876
Northwestern Christian Advocate: v. 18, no. 7, February 16, 1870
Northwestern Farmer: v. 4; 1869
Nya Verlden: v. 8, no. 9; February 26, 1876
Post and Mail: v. 12, no. 45; February 22, 1876
Prairie Farmer: v. 33–38, 40+; 1865–1868,1869+ [also some numbers of v. 26–32, 1862–1865]
Presbyterian Recorder: v. 1, no. 1; January 2, 1861
Railway Age: v. 29–45; 1900–1908
Railroad Age Gazette: v. 53+ (n. s. 45); June, 1908+
Railway Master Mechanic: v. 23, no. 24; July, 1899+
Railway Review: v. 12, no. 11; March 11, 1876
Religio-Philosophical Journal: v. 19, no. 23; February 19, 1876

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Skandinaven: v. 10, no. 44; February 22, 1876
Standard: v. 23, no. 21; February 24, 1876
Svenska Amerikanaren: v. 4, no. 8; February 24, 1876
Times: v. 22, no. ?; February 22, 1876
Tribune (Sunday): v. 29, no. 178; February 20, 1876
Tribune (tri-w): v. 29, no. 80; February, 1876
Tribune (d): v. 57, no. 305+; November 1, 1897+ [July–August, 1899 missing]
Westen, Der: v. 22, no. 8; February 20, 1876
Western Druggist: v. 17; 1895
Western Manufacturer: v. 6–15; 1878–1887
Western Rural: v. 15, 22–24, 29–30; 1877, 1884–1886, 1891–1892, [also v. 14, 19, 20, 31 incomplete; v. 22–31, 1884–1893 have title *Western Rural and American Stockman*]
Western Rural and Live Stock Weekly: v. 55–56; 1897–1898
CLINTON
Public: v. 20, no. 3 January 27, 1876
Register: v. 8, no. 38; February 4, 1876
COLLINSVILLE
Liberal Democrat: v. 4, no. 20; February 18, 1876
DALLIS CITY
Advocate: v. 1, no. 23, 26; February 25, March 17, 1876
DANVILLE
Commercial: v. 10, no. 49; February 24, 1876
Times (d): February 22, 1876
DE KALB
De Kalb County News: v. 9, no. 48, 51; February 2, 23, 1876
DELAVAN
Advertiser: v. 6, no. 42; February 17, 1876
Times: v. 2, no. 25; February 18, 1876
DIXON
Sun: v. 8, no. 34; February 23, 1876
Western Farmer: v. 11, no. 2; February, 1876
EAST ST. LOUIS
Press (d): v. 1, no. 26; February 22, 1876
St. Clair Tribune: v. 1, no. 50; February 3, 1876
EDWARDSVILLE
Republican: v. 7, no. 36; February 23, 1876
ELGIN
Advocate: v. 6, no. 8; February 19, 1876. [*Gazette* established 1855; *Advocate* established, 1871; Consolidated, May 30, 1874]
Daily Bluff City: v. 2, no. 59; March 10, 1876
Times (d): v. 1, no. 203; March 15, 1876
ELGIN (and Aurora)
Informer (m); v. 1, no. 2, 3; February, March, 1876
ELMWOOD
Messenger: v. 3, no. 1; March 3, 1876
EVANSTON
Index: v. 4, no. 38, 39; February 19, 26, 1876
Herald: v. 1, no. 17; February 25, 1876
FAIRFIELD
Wayne County Republican: One number, 1886
FORRESTON
Herald: v. 1, no. 44; February 26, 1876
GALESBURG
Northwestern Intelligencer: v. 2, no. 19; December 7, 1849
Republican-Register: v. 6, no. 252, 269; February 22, March 13, 1876; [*Republican*, v. 6, no. 48; February, 1876; *Register*, v. 11, no. 4, February 26, 1876]
GALVA
Journal: v. 5, no. 8; February 25, 1876
GENESEO
Republic: v. 20, no. 40; February 25, 1876
GOLCONDA
Herald: v. 19, no. 15; February 4, 1876
GRAYVILLE
Independent: v. 17, no. 50; February 24, 1876

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Putnam Record: v. 8, no. 28; February 11, 1876
HENRY
Republican: v. 24, no. 35; February 24, 1876
HIGHLAND
Union: v. 13, no. 19; February 25, 1876
HILLSBORO
Montgomery News: v. 6, no. 31; February 25, 1876
JOLIET
Sun (d): v. 2, no. 120; February 22, 1876
Sun (w): v. 4, no. 31; February 24, 1876
KANKAKEE
Courrier de Illinois: v. 8, no. 337; February 24, 1876
Herald: v. 4, no. 22; February 25, 1876
KEITHSBURG
News: v. 2, no 48; February 24, 1876
KINMUNDY
Independent: v. 9, no. 47; February 25, 1876
KNOXVILLE
Diocese: v. 3, no. 10; February, 1876
LA HARPE
La Harper: v. 1, no. 19, 22; February 25, March 17, 1876
LE ROY
Enterprise: v. 2, no. 14; February 18, 1876
LITCHFIELD
Montgomery County Democrat: v. 2, no. 19; February 25, 1876
MAGNOLIA
News: v. 11, no. 52; February 3, 1876
MARENGO
Republican: v. 8, no. 44; February 26, 1876
MARION
Egyptian Press: v. 1, no. 40; February 24, 1876
MARSHALL
Illinois State Democrat: v. 1, no. 7; March 24, 1849
MASCOUTAH
Enterprise: v. 1, no. 16; February 22, 1876
MASON CITY
Independent: v. 9, no. 34; February 25, 1876
MENDOTA
Bulletin: v. 14, no. 8; February 25, 1876
METROPOLIS
Massac Journal: v. 11, no. 19; February 19, 1876
MILTON
Beacon: v. 1, no. 45; February 21, 1876
MONMOUTH
Atlas: v. 30, no. 20; March 3, 1876
College Courier: v. 9, no. 6; February, 1876
MONTICELLO
Piatt County Herald: v. 2, no. 48; February 23, 1876
MORRISVILLE
Times: v. 1, no. 27; February 26, 1876
NASHVILLE
Journal: v. 14, no. 7; February 23, 1876
Washington County Zeitung: v. 2, no. 49; February 23, 1876
NAUVOO
Independent: v. 3, no. 16; February 25, 1876
NEW BURNSIDE
Journal: v. 3, no. 8; February 26, 1876
NOKOMIS
Gazette: v. 5, no. 15; February 25, 1876
NORMAL
Illinois Schoolmaster: v. 7–9; 1874–1876
OLNEY
News: v. 1, no. 19; February 23, 1876
OTTAWA
Republican: v. 24, no. 38; February 24, 1876
PAW PAW
News: v. 2, no. 28; March 15, 1876
PEKIN
Bulletin (d): v. 1, no. 44; February 22, 1876
Tazewell Weekly Mirror: v. 4, no. 42; April 30, 1852

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Tazewell County Republican: v. 41, no. 12; February 25, 1876
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National Democrat (d): v. 11, no. 147; February 22, 1876
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Transcript (d): v. 21, no. 45; February 22, 1876
Transcript (w): v. 21, no. 8; February 24, 1876
Western Scientific Journal: v. 2, no. 11; February, 1876
PINCKNEYVILLE
Independent: v. 2, no. 6; February 26, 1876
PITTSFIELD
Pike County Free Press: v. 2, no. 31; November 11, 1847
POLO
Christian Radical: v. 1, no. 5; January, 1876
PONTIAC
Sentinel: v. 19, no. 35; February 24, 1876
QUINCY
Commercial Review: v. 4, no. 27; February 26, 1876
Herald (d): v. 27, no. 13; February 22, 1876
Western Agriculturist: v. 9–20; 1877–1888
RANTOUL
Journal: v. 1, no. 18; Feb. 24, 1876
ROCHELLE
Register: v. 13, no. 28; February 26, 1876
ROCK FALLS
Progress: v. 6, no. 13; February 26, 1876
ROCKFORD
Golden Censer: v. 8, no. 43; February 19, 1876
ROCK ISLAND
Argus (d): v. 25, no.?; February 22, 1876
Neue Volks-Zeitung: v. 1, no. 49; February 23, 1876
Union (d): v. 14, no. 44; February 22, 1876
Union (w): v. 19, no. 9; February 26, 1876
ROSSVILLE
Observer: v. 3, no. 43; February 25, 1876
RUSHVILLE
Schuyler Citizen: v. 19, no. 52; February 24, 1826
SALEM
Advocate (w): v. 19, no. 9; February 24, 1876
Industrial: v. 1, no. 39; February 23, 1876
SANDWICH
Free Press: v. 1, no. 38; April 1, 1874
Gazette: v. 12, no. 13; February 25, 1876
SAVANNA
Times (w): v. 1, no. 35, 36; February 26, March 4, 1876
SHAWNEETOWN
Shawnee Herald: v. 1, no. 3; February 25, 1876
Southern Illinois Advocate: v. 1, no. 34; Friday, May 25, 1849
SHELDON
Enterprise: v. 2, no. 9; February 24, 1876
SOMONAUK
Reveille: v. 1, no. 6; January 22, 1876
SPARTA
Democrat: n. s. v. 1, no. 13, whole no. 89; November 5, 1842
SPRINGFIELD
Illinois Farmer: v. 6–8; 1861–1863
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Illinois Organ: v. 1, no. 1, 18, 24; June 24, October 21, December 2, 1848; v. 3, no. 8,–12, 14–16, 24, 26, 30, 35–36, 38, 47, 49–50; June 24, 1848–July 19, 1851
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Daily Register: v. 1, no. 60, 69, 80 (7); March 12, 22, April 2, 1849; v. 2, no. 14, 42; January 17, February 19, 1850
Independent Democrat: v. 1, no. 1; March 20, 1843
Legislative State Register: v. 1, no. 37; March 1, 1843. Extra, December 7, 1842
Republican, Daily Springfield: v. 1, no. 1; February 9, 1857
STERLING
Standard: v. 9, no. 9; February 26, 1876
SYCAMORE
Christian Pilgrim: v. 4, no. 2; February, 1876
City Weekly: v. 4, no. 21; February 8, 1876
DeKalb County Farmer: v. 1, no. 8; April, 1872
Pearl (m): v. 6, no. 1, January, 1876
Reformer and Free Press: v. 4, no. 168; January 6, 1876
STONE FORT
Journal: v. 3, no. 8; February 26, 1876
TAMAROA
Perry County Watchman: v. 3, no. 9; February 26, 1876
TAYLORVILLE
Democrat: v. 8, no. 24; February 24, 1876
Illinois Republican: v. 12, no. 35; February 23, 1876
TOLONO
Herald: v. 1, no. 46; February, 1876
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Illini: v. 3+; 1874+. [Continuation of *Student*]
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VANDALIA
Illinois Advocate: v. 5, no. 12,13, 14, 15, 16; October 14, 21, 28, November 4, 11, 1835
Illinois Intelligencer: v. 14, no. 16; August 14, 1830
VIENNA
Johnson County Yeoman: v. 2, no. 26; February 26, 1876
VIRGINIA
Illinois Observer: v. 1, no. 52; April 13, 1849
WARSAW
Bulletin: v. 11, no. 30, 34; February 26, March 25, 1876
WATSEKA
Republican: v. 20, no. 21; February 16, 1876
WAUKEGAN
Gazette (w): v. 26, no. 24; February 26, 1876
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Union Park Advocate: v. 7, no. 157; February 19, 1876
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WATSEKA
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WAUKEGAN
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WENONA
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Adams Memorial Library. No files
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WINNETKA
Public Library. No report
WOODSTOCK
Public Library. No report
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ALTON
Commercial Gazette (w): February 8–December 25, 1839
People's Miscellany and Illinois Herald (w): v. 1, no. 1; July 27, 1842
Telegraph: July 18, 1850–December 29, 1854; August 30, 1861
Telegraph (d): January 3, 1898–December 31, 1900+
Telegraph and Democratic Review: August 30, 1861 [established 1835, continued as *Telegraph and Madison Co. Record* 1851. Then as *Telegraph*
BELLEVILLE
Advocate: v. 1, no. 2; April 11, 1840
Farmers' and Mechanics' Repository (w): September 10, 1842
Great Western: v. 1, no. 2; May 25, 1839; [no. 1 probably issued May 11]
Illinois Beobachter: May 23, 1844
St. Clair Banner: Extra, January 16, 1844 (Proceedings of Democratic Convention 2nd Judicial District)
BLOOMINGTON
Pantagraph (d): January 1, 1898–December 31, 1900+
Pantagraph: January 7, 1898 December 28, 1900+
Times: February 3–September 21, 1861
CAIRO
City Times: v. 4, no. 38, February 14, 1855
CANTON
Fulton Banner: April 24–June 5, 1846
Fulton Telegraph: v. 1, no. 22, August 28, 1841
CARLINVILLE
Free Democrat: December 13, 1860
CHAMPAIGN
Central Illinois Gazette: April 4, June 9, 1861
CHARLESTON
Courier: v. 1, no. 12; July 3, 1841
Illinois Globe: January 6–December 22, 1849

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CHESTER
Southern Illinois Advocate: v. 1, no. 1, April 4, 1839
CHICAGO
Advance: January 7, 1875–December 27, 1888; January 2–December 25, 1890; October 4, 1894–June 27, 1895; July 1, 1897–December 31 1900+
American: October 14, 1837; October 30, 1840
American Field: July 2, 1881–June 29, 1889; January 3–June 27, 1891; January 6, 1894–December 31, 1900+
Commercial Advertiser: April 4, 1849–December 24, 1851
Chicago Daily Commercial Advertiser: May 22, 1852–January 5, 1853
Democrat: October 6–December 15, 1846
Democrat (d): July 7, 1851–November 11, 1852
Democratic Press (d): January 2–December 25, 1854; January 1, 1855–December 31, 1856
Drovers' Journal: February 26, 1880–December 30, 1886; January 6, 1898–December 27, 1900+
Daily Chicago Herald: January 21–July 30, 1860
Chicago Herald: July 29, 1881–December 31, 1883; January 1, 1887–June 30, 1893; July 1, 1894–March 3, 1895
Illinois Staats-Zeitung: September 1, 1873–December 31, 1880
Interior: January 2, 1896–December 31, 1900+
Inter-Ocean (d): March 27, 1872–December 31, 1900+
Inter-Ocean: January 3, 1899–December 25, 1900+
Daily Journal: January 2–December 31, 1851
Tri-weekly Journal: January 4, 1866
Evening Journal: January 12, 1866–December 16, 1867
Journal: January 3, 1898–December 31, 1900+
Journal of Commerce: January 6, 1886–December 25, 1889
Living Church: April 2, 1898–April 1, 1900+
Il Messagiere Italiano dell' Ouest: January 5, 13, 20, 27, February 10, 1869
News (d): May 2–August 31, 1898, January 10, 1898–December 31, 1900+
Occident: April 26, 1878–September 20, 1895
Our Fireside Friend: January 27, 1872–December 26, 1874
Pomeroy's Illustrated Democrat: January 1, 1876–December 21, 1878; January 1, 1876–January 26, 1878—*Pomeroy's Democrat*
Daily Post: January 17–March 30, 1861; April 5, June 3, September 14, 1864
Evening Post (d): January 3, 1898–December 31, 1900+
Quid Nunc: v. 1, no. 1, July 12, 1842; no. 2(?), July 18, 1842
Chicago Record (m and semi-m): April 1, 1857–March 15, 1862
Reform Advocate: February 20–August 14, 1897; February 19–August 13, 1898
Republican: January 1–September 20, 1866; July 23, 1867–December 31, 1869
Saturday Evening Herald: September 22, 1883–September 19, 1885
Skandinaven: July 5, 1889–December 29, 1900+
Standard: July 2, 1874–August 26, 1900+
Times (d): January 1–December 31, 1856; January 3–December 31, 1858; July 31–December 31, 1860; August 2–December 30, 1876; January 1, 1891–August 31, 1894. [Consolidated with the *Daily Chicago Herald.* Continued as]
Times-Herald (d): March 4–December 31, 1895; January 1–December 31, 1900+ [Consolidated with the *Chicago Record* in 1901 and continued as the *Record-Herald*]
Daily Tribune: v. 1, no. 2, April 11, 1840; April 24, 1841; April 7, 10, 16, 24, 1858; March 22, 1861; January 15, 1863; June

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CHICAGO
3, 1863–July 27, 1866 (incomplete); February 18–June 29, 1867; April 29–December 29, 1871; January 1, 1872–December 31, 1882; May 1, 1883–March 31, 1908
L'Unione Italiana (w): v, 1, no. 9; October 1, 1867–January 29, 1868; February–November, 1868
Union Signal: January 5, 1888–December 21, 1893; January 6, 1898–December 31, 1900+
Voice of the People (w): v. 1, no. 1, June 29, 1838
Western Citizen: December 29, 1847; February 1, March 7, April 4, 1848
EDWARDSVILLE
Spectator: May 29, 1819–October 20, 1826
ELGIN
Gazette: July 19, 1851; March 25, 1871–November 22, 1873
Young People's Weekly: January 2, 1898–December 31, 1900+
GALENA
Advertiser: v. 1, no. 8, September 7, 1829; also October 5, 12, 26, November 9, 30, December 7, 14, 21, 1829
Daily Advertiser: September 21, 1861
Galenian: n. s. v. 1, no. 3, May 24, 1836
Miners' Journal: November 15, December 26, 1828; February 21, June 6, 13, 20, 27, July 4, August 15, October 3, 10, 27, November 3, 24, December 1–22, 1829; January 9, July 10, 1830
GRAFTON
Backwoodsman: v. 2, no. 26, May 9, 1839
Phoenix: v. 1, no. 50; April 20, 1843
GRAND DETOUR
Rock River Register: v. 2, no. 7, March 10,1843. Established 1842
GRIGGSVILLE
Pike County Union (w): May 2, 1855–June 9, 1856. [Formerly *Pittsfield Union*]
JACKSONVILLE
Banner: December 4, 1833
Constitutionist: April 13–December 17, 1853
Illinoisan: October 31, November 21, 1840; February 27–December 25, 1841
Illinois Democrat: v. 1, no. 2; May 27, 1840, June 3, 24, July 1, October 15, 1840
Illinois Patriot: v. 2, no. 8; December 22, 1832
Illinois Standard: March 17–December 29, 1838
Illinois State Gazette and Jacksonville News: January 17–December 23, 1835; January 20–November 26, 1836; April 22–December 28, 1837
JOLIET
Weekly News: January 6, 1898
Republican: v. 3, no. 3, April 2, 1864; v. 4, no. 33, October 28, 1865
JONESBORO
Gazette: December 31, 1859–September 15, 1860
KASKASKIA
Democrat: January 2, 13, 1830
Illinois Intelligencer: January 13, 1819–December 14, 1820
Illinois Reporter: October 25, 1826
Republican: v. 2, no. 56; March 30, 1824; April 20, May 11, 25, 1824
Republican: v. 2, no. 1, June 24, 1841
Western Democrat: September 19, October 10, December 22, 1829. [Continued as *Kaskaskia Democrat*]
LACON
Herald: v. 1, no. 9 February 10 1838
LEWISTON
Republican: v. 1, no. 1; March 19, April 2, 1844
LOWELL
Genius of Liberty: December 19, 1840
MOLINE
Review Dispatch: January 7, 1898–December 28, 1900+
MT. CARMEL
Register: v. 1, no. 1; June 11, 1839; December 4, 1841

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OTTAWA
Illinois Free Trader: v. 2, no. 10; July 30, 1841
PARIS
Illinois Statesman: v. 1, no. 16; May 1, 1840
Prairie Beacon: July 19, 1861
PEKIN
Tazewell Mirror: March 3–December 20, 1849, [odd nos.]
Tazewell Reporter: v. 1, no. 46; March 23, 1841
PEORIA
Democratic Press: June 10, November 25, 1846; January 13–December 30, 1848
Democratic Union (d): January 3–December 31, 1859
Herald (d): January 1–December 29, 1898. [Consolidated with the *Transcript* and continued as]
Herald and Transcript (d): December 30, 1898-December 31, 1900+
Illinois Champion and Peoria Herald: v. 1, no. 2, March 29, 1834
Peoria Register and Northwestern Gazetteer: December 4, 1840; June 11, 1841–November 18, 1842
Transcript (d): January 1–December 29, 1898. [Consolidated, December 30, 1898, with the *Herald*, and continued as *Herald and Transcript*]
PERU
Ninawah Gazette: v. 1, no. 2; May 23, 1840
PETERSBURG
Menard Index: March 7–February 28, 1861
PITTSFIELD
Pike County Free Press (w): April 13, 1846–March 5, 1857. [Established April 13, 1846; issued at Pittsfield and Griggsville]
Sucker and Farmer's Record (w); v. 1, no. 1; June 1, 1842
Union: September 11, 1850; June 11, 1851; July 21, 1852–April 25, 1855
QUINCY
Argus: September 26, 1840
Herald: v. 1, no. 4, October 27, 1843; January 2–December 25, 1854
Herald (d); June 26–December 31, 1867
Illinois Bounty Land Register: v. 1, no. 3, 11; May 1, June 26, 1835
Old Statesman (w); v. 1, no. 1; July 4, 1840; 1
Whig: v. 1, no. 1; May 5, 1838
Morning Whig: January 1, 1898–December 31, 1900+
Whig Republican: January 7–December 31, 1848; January 3, 1863
ROCK SPRING
Pioneer of the Valley of the Mississippi: v. 1, no. 25; October 1, 1829
ROCKFORD
Register: September 10, October 1, 15, 1859
Winnebago Forum: v. 1, no. 2, February 24, 1843
RUSHVILLE
Republican: v. 1, no. 7; January 23, 1840
ST. CHARLES
The Age: v. 1, no. 4; July 21, 1843
SHAWNEETOWN
Illinois Advertiser: January 21–November 4, 1837
Illinois Emigrant: January 9–September 18, 1819
Illinois Gazette: September 25–November 13, 1819; January 20–December 2, 1820; March 3, 1821–November 30, 1822; January 4–December 20, 1823; January 10–December 25, 1824; January 15–December 17, 1825; February 11–December 23, 1826; February 9, 1828–April 18, 1829; January 9–December 11, 1830
Illinois Republican: January 1, 1842–June 3, 1843
Western Voice and Internal Improvement Journal: January 3–December 29, 1838; August 1, 1840
SPRINGFIELD
Illinois Adler (Ger.): v. 1, no. 1; May 21, 1844
Illinois Atlas: v. 2, no. 35; May 4, 1871

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SPRINGFIELD
Illinois State Journal (d): April 21, 1849–November 19, 1851; January 6–February 21, 1857; March 1861–October 29, 1866; January 1, 1867–December 31, 1871; January 1–November 21, 1878
Illinois Weekly State Journal: March 21–July 11, 1849; January 7–December 30, 1857: January 4, 1860–February 27, 1861
Illinois State Register (w): August 24–December 28, 1829; January 4–December 25, 1840; January 3, 1844–December 18, 1846; January 1–December 3, 1847 (incomplete); January 7, 1848–December 28, 1854; January 1–December 31, 1857
Illinois State Register (sw): January 1–December 25, 1840
Illinois State Register (d): January 1, 1898–December 31, 1900+. [See *Illinois State Register* and *Illinois Advocate*, of Vandalia]
Old Soldier: v. 1, no. 7, May 1, 1840
Sangamo Spectator: v. 1, no. 2, February 28, 1827; August 29, 1827
Times: v. 1, no. 4; November 9, 1843
STREATOR
Free Press (d): January 1, 1898–December 31, 1900+
VANDALIA
Freeman: v. 1, no. 8; July 23, 1842
Free Press: v. 1, no. 7, June 24, 1836
Illinois Advocate: January 5, 1833–March 16, 1836. [Continued in
Illinois State Register and People's Advocate: March 23, 1836–December 21, 1838; January 9–December 28, 1839. [Publication contined at Springfield]
Illinois Advocate and State Register: January 3, 28, February 11, 14, 1835
Illinois Intelligencer: December 14, 1820–March 3, 1832. [Continued as *Vandalia Whig and Illinois Intelligencer.* See also same title under Kaskaskia]
Illinois Sentinel: November 22, December 7, 1839; March 14–December 5, 1840
Illinois State Register and People's Advocate: March 25, 1836–August 17, 1839; [March 25–June 17, 1836; *Illinois St. Reg.* and *Illinois Advertiser*]
Vandalia Whig and Illinois Intelligencer: March 28, 1832–December 31, 1833; January 1–December 17, 1834. [See *Illinois Intelligencer* at Kaskaskia, also same title at Vandalia]
WINCHESTER
Republican: v. 1, no. 3; December 28, 1844
Scott County News: v. 1, no. 9; September 6, 1860

Wisconsin Historical Society, Madison, Wisconsin (W) List Published in 1898

BELLEVILLE
Advocate (w): November 8, 1854
CHICAGO
Advance (w): v. 3–4; 1868–1869; v. 10–23, 25–27; 1875–1888; 1890–1892
American (w): August 30, 1839; August 2, 17, 1842
American Journal of Education: v. 7, 1874
Bureau (m): October 1869–December, 1870; February–July, 1871
Christian Times (w): April, 1855–December, 1857; 1858–1866; March, 1867–December, 1868. [Styled *The Standard* commencing December, 1867]
Chronicle (w): 1872–1873; removed to New York City, August, 1872
Church Record: [See *Chicago Record*]
Democrat (w): June 4, 1835; 1842–1845, 5 nos.
Daily Democratic Press: 1856–1857; January–June, 1858

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Wisconsin Historical Society
CHICAGO
Weekly Democratic Press: March, 1854–July, 1858
Emery's Journal of Agriculture (w): v. 2, July–December, 1858
Chicago Field (w): May, 1878–January, 1879
Herald (m): November, 1871–November, 1873; March–May, 1877
Industrial Age (w): August, 1873–February, 1877
Inter-Ocean (w): 1893–1894
Weekly Magazine: September, 1882–March, 1885
National Live Stock Journal (m): September 1871–December, 1872
New Covenant (w): May 22, 1852
Daily News: June–October, 1872
Northwestern Christian Advocate (w): [January–November, 1864]
Northwestern Church (semi-m; w, 1864) November, 1863–October, 1865
Northwestern Lumberman (w): 1876–1894+
Prairie Farmer (m): v. 6–15; 1846–1855
Prairie Farmer (w): v 20–23; July, 1859–June 1861; [United with *Emery's Journal of Agriculture*, October, 1858. Styled *Emery's Journal of Agriculture and Prairie Farmer* till December, 1859; and then *Prairie Farmer*]
Prairie Farmer (w): May–December, 1873
Press and Tribune (d): July–December, 1858; January–June, 1860
Press and Tribune (w): July, 1858–January, 1860
Railroad Gazette (w): v. 1–3; April, 1870–October, 1871. [Removed to New York City after the fire of October, 1871; branch office maintained in Chicago until 1881]
Railway Age (w): v. 4–10; 1879–1885
Railway Review (w): v. 12–15, 20–23; May, 1876–April, 1878, 1880–1883
Chicago Record (m, semi-m, April, 1860): April 1857–March, 1862. [Styled *Church Record* April, 1858–March, 1860]
Religio-Philosophical Journal (w): 1869–1890; January–July, 1891
Skandinaven (w); [1878–1881]; 1882–1884; 1885–1890; November, 1891–December, 1892; 1893–1894+
Sloan's Garden City (w): September–November, 1854
Standard (w): 1871+
Chicago Times (d): 1870+
Daily Tribune: May–December, 1857; 1860–1861; January–May, 1862; September, 1872+
United States Medical Investigator (semi-m, w. 1883–1884; m. 1885): v. 1–21; 1875–1885
Unity (w): v. 7–23; 1880–February, 1894
Western Railroad Gazette (w): May, 1868–March, 1870
Western Rural (w): May–December, 1875
ELGIN
Fox River Courier (w): July 7, 1852
GALENA
Galenian (w): 1834–1835, 7 nos. [Styled *Galena Democrat* after 1835]
Miners' Journal (w): September, 1829–December, 1830. [First paper in Mississippi lead region; founded by James Jones, 1826; "subscriptions payable in smelters' acceptances, lead, or cash"]
Northwestern Gazette and Galena Advertiser (w): November, 1834–August, 1848
Semi-Weekly Galena Jeffersonian: October, 1845–January, 1847. [Established by Horace A. Tenny Suspended, 1855]
NAUVOO
Colonie Icarienne (w): July–December, 1854
ST. CHARLES
Prairie Messenger (w): July 16, 1846
SPRINGFIELD
Illinois State Journal (w): May, 1857–March, 1863

MADISON, WISCONSIN —*continued*
Wisconsin Historical Society
SPRINGFIELD
Olive Branch: v. 1–2; August, 1848–June, 1850. [Removed from Kirtland, Ohio, July, 1849]
VANDALIA
Illinois Intelligencer (w): 1821–1822, 4 nos. [Removed to Vandalia 1820; styled *Illinois Herald* till 1817, and *Vandalia Whig* and *Illinois Intelligencer*, commencing 1832; suspended 1839]

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ALTON
Spectator: June 1, 1832
EDWARDSVILLE
Illinois Advocate: June 5, 1832
Illinois Republican: July 21, 1824
Spectator: v. 1, no. 1; May 29, 1819–October 20, 1826. [Lacks May 8, 1821; December 21, 1824]
Star of the West: November 30, 1822
Western Plowboy: July 27, 1831
GALENA
Galenian: May 16, 1832
Miners' Journal: July 30, 1831
JACKSONVILLE
Illinois Patriot: April 12, 1832
KASKASKIA
Western Intelligencer: v. 1, no. 1, May 15, 1816–May 20, 1818. [Lacks July 2, 16, September 12, 19, 26, October 9, 16, 1816; February 26, May 28, June 4, 11, 18, 25, July 2–September 3, 1817]. Changed to
Illinois Intelligencer: May 27, 1818–May 12, 1819. [Lacks March 31, 1819]
Democrat: July 26, 1831
ROCK SPRING
Pioneer: April 24, 1829
Pioneer and Western Baptist: May 25, 1832
SHAWNEETOWN
Illinois Gazette: August 3, 1822; February 14, 1826; July 2, 1831
SPRINGFIELD
Herald: May 3, 1832
Olive Branch: May 1, 15, 1844
Sangamo Journal: June 7, 1832
VANDALIA
Illinois Intelligencer: February 20, 1821; October 12, December 7, 1822; March 30, 1826–March 3, 1832

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ALTON
Cumberland Presbyterian (w): July 9, 1869–December 25, 1879
CHICAGO
Advance (w): September 5, 1867–December 25, 1873; odd nos. for 1874
Commercial Advertiser: 1878–1880
Daily Tribune: December 13, 1861; May 29, June 5, 1863; April 15, 18, 19, 20, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 29, 30, 1865; January–June, 1877; January 1, October 25, November 28, 1879
Republican (d): February 18, July 27, 1868; June 6, 20, 21, 1869; November 14, 1870
Evening Journal: April 17–28, May 2, 3, 5, 21, 1865
Times: April 17, May 2, 12, 1865
Daily Christian Advocate: May 1–June 3, 1868
Inter-Ocean: (d): July 1–December 31, 1874; 1875–1878; January–June 30, 1879
Matrimonial News, The: June 1, 15, October 1, 15, November 1, 15, December 1, 1873
Northwestern Christian Advocate (w): April 19, 26, May 3, 10, 24, 1865
Occident (w): 1878–1879
Philosophical Journal: September 23–December 31, 1871
Prairie Farmer (w): January 27, March 3, July 7, 28, August 4, 11, 18, September 15, October 6, November 3, 17, December 15, 1866; 1869–1876

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CHICAGO
Socialist (w):[*Chicagoer Socialist* (d), 1876–1879]; September 4–December 31, 1878; January–August 16, 1879
ELGIN
Dial (m): April, June, 1872
MATTOON
Independent Gazette (w): April 19, 26, 1865
MONMOUTH
Atlas: April 21, 1865
OQUAWKA
Spectator: April 20, 1865
QUINCY
Whig Republican: April 22, 1865
SPRINGFIELD
Daily Illinois State Register: April 18, 1865
Illinois Journal: April 17, 18, 22, May 5, 1865

American Antiquarian Society (E), Worcester, Massachusetts

ALTON
Telegraph: October 5, 1839
Telegraph and Democratic Review: November 27, 1846
Spectator: July 16, 30, August 6, 1835
AURORA
Temperance Monitor: April, 1858
BELLEVILLE
Advocate: December 4, 1863
BELVIDERE
Northwestern: October 16, 1868
CHICAGO
Advance: 1867–1872
American (w): March 11–December 30, 1837; January 6–20, 1838
American Builder: May, 1871
Daily Chicago American: November 11, 1839
Banking and Insurance Chronicle: August 1, 1867
Book Bulletin (w): June 20, 1874
Bridal Veil: July, 1874
Christian Cynosure: February 7, 21, March 7, 21, April 4, 18, May 1, 16, 30, June 13, 27, July 11, 25, August 8, 22, September 5, 19, October 3, 1871
Christian Voice: February, 1873
Cloud and the Bow: July 7, 1858
Commercial Advertiser: July 20, 1850
Daily Commercial Advertiser: May 28, August 10, 11, 13, 14, 17, 19, 19, 21, 25–27, September 2, 4, 6–10, 20, October 4, 8, 9, 11–16, 18, 23, November 15, December 7, 10, 11, 1852; January 1, 1853
Commercial Advertiser and Railroad Journal: February 11, 1864
Congregational Herald: June 4–July 29, August 12–September 30, October 21, 28, November 11–December 9, 1853; June 21, July 5–August 2, 1855; March 27, May 1, 8, 29, June 5–19, July 3–17, August 7–21, October 16, 30, November 6–December 18, 1856; January 1–15, February 26–March 19, 1857
Courier: June 1, 1869
Democrat: September 13, November 1, 1837–January 7, 1838; September 24, 1845
Democratic Press: November 2, 1853
Drovers' Journal: June 2, 1876
Herald of Peace: June 15, July 1, 15, August 1, 1869
Illinois Staats-Zeitung (d): October 16–19, 22–27, 29–31, November 1–3, 8–10, 12–14, 16, 17, 20, 21, 1860
Interior: April 18, 1872
Inter-Ocean: 1874–1875
Daily Journal: December 2, 1858
Evening Journal: October 12, 14, 1871
Journal of Commerce: July 20, 1871
Liberal: July 1, 15, August 1, 15, September 1, 1870
Missionary Papers: July 28, 1870
New Covenant: May 22, 1858; July 30, August 20, 1859; December 5, 1863
Daily News: October 3, November 6, 1856
Northwestern Lumberman: 1875–1881
Northwestern Prairie Farmer: September 10, 1859
Our Texas Home: August, 1876

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American Antiquarian Society
CHICAGO
Evening Post: October 17, 1871
Prairie Farmer: May 14–28, September 10, 24, 1857; March 4, April 1, 15, 1858; March 31, May 12, August 11, 25, December 1, 1859; July 5, 1860
Puzzlers' Companion: October 15, 1876
Real Estate Register or the North West: v. 1, no. 1; May, 1857
Daily Record: September 12, 1867
Religio-Philosophical Journal: August 2, 1873
Republican: October 6, 1866; August 6, 1867; May 25, 1870
Song Messenger of the North West: April, 1868
Sonntags-Zeitung: November 4, 11, 1860
Times (Sunday): May 16, 1869; June 21, 1870; October 18, 1871; February 16, September 29, 1872; February 16, 1873
Tribune (tri-w): 1865–1871
Tribune (d): 1872–1906
Truth Seeker: v. 1, no. 1, 2; September, October, 1873
Union (Wochenblatt der Chicago): July 12, 1866
Union Agriculturist and Prairie Farmer: January–March, 1841
Wells' Commercial Express: July 1, December 2, 1863
Western Citizen: April 18, June 20, 1844; June 10, 1846; December 12, 1848
Western Rural: June 3, 1876
EDWARDSVILLE
Spectator: November 29, 1823; March 16–April 13, 27, May 4, July 6, October 19, 26, 1824
ELGIN
Gazette: June 17, 1871
FREEPORT
Bulletin: April 9, 1863
GALENA
Northwestern Gazette and Galena Advertiser: December 26, 1835; January 9, 16, 1836; December 8, 1843
Northwestern Gazette: September 9, 16, 1851
GRAYVILLE
Independent: April 10, 1863
HARRISBURG
Chronicle: April 4, November 28, 1863
HAVANA
Voter: February 12, 1864
HILLSBORO
Montgomery County Herald: December 4, 1863
JACKSONVILLE
Journal (d): June 25, 1868
Illinois Patriot: December 26, 1835
KANKAKEE
Journal de l'Illinois: May 1, 1857
KASKASKIA
Western Intelligencer: April 29, 1818
Illinois Intelligencer: July 1, 1818
LA SALLE
Watchman: July 16, 1855
LINCOLN
Logan Courier: December 3, 1863
MOLINE
Workman: February 7, 14, 21, April 18, July 11, 25, August 1, 21, 1855
MONMOUTH
Commercial Record: v. 1, no: 1; April, 1872
MT. MORRIS
Independent Watchman: June 15, 1859
OTTAWA
Free Trader: October 4, September 27, 1844
PARIS
Prairie Beacon: November 28, 1863
PEORIA
Register and Northwestern Gazetteer: April 4, 1840–1841 [except February 5, September 10, 1841]; January 7, 14, 28, February, March 4, 11, 25, April 1–August 12, 26–December 30, 1842; January 6–March, 3, 24, 31, 1843
Transcript (d): January 13, 1869
Western Scientific Journal: January, 1876
PITTSFIELD
Pike County Democrat: May 20, 1873
PONTIAC
Sentinel: January 11, 1866

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QUINCY
Whig: April 18, 1840
Whig Republican: January 27, 1866
Voice to St. John's Parish: October, 1874
ROCKFORD
Golden Censer: October 28, 1876
Register: April 11, 1857; July 26, November 29, 1862
Rock River Express: August 11, 1840
ROCK ISLAND
Advertiser (tri-w): May 18, 1854
Evening Argus: October 31, 1862
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GALENA
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Northwestern Gazette: v. 13, no. 6; Dec. 11, 1846; v. 20, no. 13; Jan. 17, 1854
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GENEVA
Star of the West: v. 1, no. 1, May 21, 1846
Western Mercury: v. 3, no. 12; July 5, 1849
GREENVILLE
American Courier: v. 2, no. 2; July 9, 1857
GRIGGSVILLE
Pike County Union: v. 8, no. 9; Aug. 11, 1856
HAVANA
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MT. STERLING
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NAPERVILLE
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NASHVILLE
Democrat: v. 6, no. 7; June 7, 1856
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Times: v. 1, no. 44; Apr. 17, 1857; v. 2, no. 38; Mar. 26, 1858
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Gazette: v. 1, no. 1; May 27, 1857
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Register: v. 1, no. 29; Feb. 2, 1854
SHAWNEETOWN
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URBANA
Union: v. 1, no. 4; Oct. 21, 1852; v. 2, no. 28; June 8, 1854
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Fayette Observer: v. 2, no. 50; Dec. 21, 1857
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	New	Change			New	Change				
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1814

Kaskaskia
Illinois Herald

1816

Kaskaskia
Western Intelligencer, continuation of *Illinois Herald* (1814)

1818

Kaskaskia
Illinois Intelligencer, continuation of *Western Intelligencer* (1816)

Shawneetown
Shawnee Chief (?)
Illinois Emigrant, continuation of *Shawnee Chief* (?) (1818)

1819

Edwardsville
Spectator

Shawneetown
Illinois Gazette, continuation of *Illinois Emigrant* (1818)

1820

Vandalia
Illinois Intelligencer, continuation of Kaskaskia *Illinois Intelligencer* (1818)

1822

Edwardsville
Star of the West

Vandalia
Vandalia Intelligencer (?)

1823

Edwardsville
Illinois Republican, continuation of *Star of the West* (1822)

Kaskaskia
Republican Advocate

1824

Kaskaskia
Kaskaskia Republican, continuation of *Republican Advocate* (1823)

1826

Belleville
Western News

Galena
Miner's Journal

Kaskaskia
Illinois Reporter

1827

Edwardsville
Illinois Corrector

Springfield
Sangamo Spectator

1829

Galena
Advertiser

Kaskaskia
Western Democrat

Rock Spring
Pioneer of the Valley of the Mississippi

Springfield
Journal and Little Sangamo Gazette

1830

Edwardsville
Crisis
Illinois Advocate, continuation of *Crisis* (1830)

Jacksonville
Western Observer

Kaskaskia
Kaskaskia Democrat, continuation of *Western Democrat* (1829)

Palestine
Illinois Chronicle and Literary Gazette

Springfield
Courier

Vandalia
Illinois Monthly Magazine

1831

Edwardsville
Western Ploughboy

Jacksonville
Illinois Patriot

Rock Spring
Pioneer and Western Baptist, continuation of *Pioneer of the Valley of the Mississippi* (1829)

Springfield
Sangamon Journal
Illinois Herald

Vandalia
Gazette
Illinois Whig

1832

Alton
Spectator

Galena
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Jacksonville
Jacksonville Banner and Morgan County Advertiser

Vandalia
Vandalia Whig and Illinois Intelligencer, continuation of *Illinois Intelligencer* (1820) and *Illinois Whig*, (1831)

1833

Alton
American

Beardstown
Beardstown Chronicle and Illinois Bounty Land Advertiser

Belleville
St. Clair Gazette

Carmi
White County News

Chicago
Democrat

Danville
Enquirer

Kaskaskia
Randolph Free Press

Vandalia
Illinois Advocate, continuation of *Illinois Advocate*, Edwardsville (1830)
Illinois Advocate and State Register, continuation of *Illinois Advocate* (1833)

1834

Galena
Northwestern Gazette and Galena Advertiser

Jacksonville
Illinois State Gazette
News

Mt. Carmel
Sentinel and Wabash Advocate

Peoria
Illinois Champion and Peoria Herald

1835

Chicago
American

Jacksonville
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Liberty's Sentinel

Quincy
Illinois Bounty Land Register.

Rushville
Journal and Military Tract Advertiser

Shawneetown
Gallatin Democrat and Illinois Advertiser

Springfield
Illinois Republican

Tremont
Tazewell Whig

Vandalia
Illinois Advocate, continuation of *Illinois Advocate and State Reister* (1833)

1836

Alton
Illinois Temperance Herald
Observer
Telegraph
Western Pioneer and Baptist Standard Bearer, Rock Spring (1831)

Carthage
Carthagenian
Echo

Chicago
Commercial Advertiser

Galena
Democrat, continuation of *Galenian* (1832)

Ottawa
Republican

Paris
Illinois Statesman

Peoria
Illinois Champion and Peoria Republican

Rock Spring
Western Watchman

Rushville
Journal, continuation of *Journal and Military Tract Advertiser* (1835) .
Shawneetown
Illinois Advertiser, continuation of *Gallatin Democrat and Illinois Advertiser* (1835)
Vandalia
Free Press
Illinois State Register
Illinois State Register and Illinois Advocate, continuation of *Illinois Advocate* (1835)
Illinois State Register and People's Advocate, continuation of *Illinois State Register* and *Illinois Advocate* (1836)

1837

Belleville
Representative and Belleville News
Bloomington
Observer and McLean County Advocate
Canton
Herald
Carthage
Western Emigrants' Magazine and Historian of Times in the West
Grafton
Backwoodsman
Hennepin
Journal
Jacksonville
Common School Advocate
Illinoisan, continuation of *Illinois Patriot* (1831)
Lacon
Herald
Naples
Spirit of the West
Pekin
Tazewell Telegraph
Rushville
Schuyler Advocate, continuation of *Journal* (1836)
Shawneetown
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Vandalia
Free Press and Illinois Whig, continuation of *Free Press* (1836)

1838

Alton
Altonian
Voice of Illinois
Belleville
Representative and Gazette, continuation of *Representative and Belleville News* (1837) and *St. Clair Gazette* (1833)
Chicago
Voice of the People
Edwardsville
Western Weekly Mirror
Galena
Journal
Hennepin
Genius of Universal Emancipation
Hillsboro
Prairie Beacon
Jacksonville
Illinois Standard
Quincy
Whig
Rushville
Test, continuation of *Schuyler Advocate* (1837)
Winchester
Voice of Truth

1839

Alton
Commercial Gazette
Missouri and Illinois Temperance Herald, continuation of *Illinois Temperance Herald* (1836)
Great Western
Spirit of '76
Belleville
Advocate, continuation of *Representative and Gazette* (1838)
Chester
Southern Illinois Advocate
Chicago
Daily American, continuation of *American* (1835)
Jerseyville
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Joliet
Courier

Mt. Carmel
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Nauvoo
Times and Seasons
Quincy
Argus, continuation of *Illinois Bounty Land Register* (1835)
Rock Island
Banner and Stephenson Gazette
Rushville
Illinois Republican
Shawneetown
Intelligencer, continuation of *Western Voice and Internal Improvement Journal* (1837)
Sparta
Columbus Herald
Springfield
Illinois State Register, continuation of Vandalia *Illinois State Register and People's Advocate* (1836)
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Illinois Sentinel

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Alton
Sucker
Taper
Belleville
Der Freiheitsbote für Illinois
Canton
Western Telegraph
Chicago
Hard Cider Press
Weekly Tribune
Edwardsville
Sovereign People, continuation of *Western Weekly Mirror* (1838)
Galena
Star
Jacksonville
Illinois Democrat
Kaskaskia
Republican
Lacon
Illinois Gazette, continuation of *Herald* (1837)
Lewistown
Fulton Democrat
Lowell
Genius of Liberty
Mt. Carmel
Greenbrier
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Post
Ottawa
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Paris
Illinois Statesman
Pekin
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Peoria
Democratic Press
Peru
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Quincy
Old Statesman
Rockford
Rock River Express
Star
Rock Island
Upper Mississippian
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Political Examiner, continuation of *Illinois Republican* (1839)
Shelbyville
Okaw
Prairie Flower
Sparta
Democrat
Herald
Springfield
Illinois Messenger
Old Hickory
Old Soldier
Warsaw
Western World

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Cairo
Gazette
Canton
Fulton Telegraph, continuation of *Western Telegraph* (1840)
Charleston
Courier
Chicago
Union Agriculturist and Western Prairie Farmer
East St. Louis
American Bottom Gazette

Exeter
Battle Axe
Galena
Sentinel
Illinoistown
[1]*American Bottom Reporter*
Quincy
Herald, continuation of *Argus* (1839)
Rockford
Pilot
St. Charles
Patriot
Shawneetown
Illinois Republican
Warsaw
Signal, continuation of *Western World* (1840)
Winchester
Battle Axe, continuation of Exeter *Battle Axe* (1841)

1842

Alton
People's Miscellany and Illinois Herald
Belleville
Farmers' and Mechanics' Repository
Chicago
Express
Northwestern Baptist
Quid Nunc
Republican
Western Citizen
Grafton
Phoenix
Grand Detour
Rock River Register
Illinoistown
National Bank
Jerseyville
Newspaper, continuation of *Backwoodsman and Jersey and Green County Advertiser* (1839)
Nauvoo
Wasp
Mt. Morris
Rock River Register
Pekin
Illinois Palladium
Peoria
Register, continuation of *Register and Northwestern Gazetteer* (1837)
Pittsfield
Sucker and Farmer's Record
Rockford
Better Covenant
St. Charles
Better Covenant, continuation of Rockford *Better Covenant* (1842)
Vandalia
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1843

Belleville
St. Clair Banner
Canton
Fulton Banner
Carlyle
Beacon
Carrollton
Advocate
Charleston
Owl
Chicago
Better Covenant, continuation of St. Charles *Better Covenant* (1842)
Prairie Farmer, continuation of *Union Agriculturist and Western Prairie Farmer* (1841)
Youth's Gazette
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Illinois Tribune
Jacksonville
Christian Messenger
Illinois Statesman
Joliet
Signal, continuation of *Courier* (1839)
Lewistown
Fulton Banner
Nauvoo
Neighbor, continuation of *Wasp* (1842)
Ottawa
Free Trader, continuation of *Illinois Free Trader* (1840)
Peoria
Gerrymander
Rockford
Winnebago Forum

[1] See footnote, 202.

Rushville
Whig, continuation of *Political Examiner* (1840)
St. Charles
Fox River Advocate, continuation of *Patriot, Fox River Advocate and Kane County Herald* (1843)
Patriot, Fox River Advocate and Kane County Herald, continuation of *Patriot* (1843)
The Age
Shawneetown
Illinois State Gazette
Springfield
Times
Tremont
Tazewell Democrat
Vandalia
Free Press
Olive Leaf
Warsaw
Message, continuation of *Signal* (1841)
Waterloo
Independent Democrat

1844

Belleville
Illinois Beobachter
Politician
Carlyle
Truth Teller
Chicago
Daily Journal
Democrat Advocate and Commercial Advertiser
Gem of the Prairie
Illinois Medical and Surgical Journal
Lewistown
Republican
Mt. Carmel
Plow Boy
Wabash Democrat
Nauvoo
Expositor
Ottawa
Constitutionalist
Rockford
Forum, continuation of *Winnebago Forum* (1843)
Sparta
Randolph County Record
Springfield
Illinois Adler und Democratischer Whig
Olive Branch
Vandalia
Baptist Helmet
Warsaw
Hancock Democrat
Signal, continuation of *Message* (1843)
Winchester
Republican

1845

Alton
Presbytery Reporter
Truth Seeker
Beardstown
Gazette
Belleville
St. Clair Banner
Bloomington
McLean County Register
Chicago
Daily News
Garland of the West
Spirit of Temperance Reform
Volksfreund
Western (Literary?) Magazine
Elgin
Western Christian
Galena
Jeffersonian
Geneva
Fox River Advocate
Star of the West, continuation of *Fox River Advocate* (1845)
Greenville
Protestant Monitor
Hennepin
Herald
Jacksonville
Morgan Journal
Western Star
Lewistown
Fulton Gazette
Little Fort
Little Fort Porcupine and Democratic Banner
Nauvoo
Colonie Icarienne

Peoria
American
Weekly Register, continuation of *Register* (1842)
Pittsfield
Pike County Sentinel
Quincy
Beobachter
Daily Morning Courier
Rock Island
Northwestern Advertiser
Springfield
Illinois Washingtonian
Waterloo
War Eagle, continuation of *Indepcndent Democrat* (1843)
Waukegan
Lake County Herald

1846

Alton
Protestant Monitor
Aurora
Democrat
People's Platform
Bloomington
Western Whig
Carrollton
Gazette
Charleston
Reporter
Chicago
Ariel
Daily Cavalier
Dollar Weekly
Illinois and Indiana Medical and Surgical Journal, continuation of *Illinois Medical and Surgical Journal* (1844)
Liberty Tree
Morning Mail
Valley Watchman
Western Herald
Griggsville
Pike County Free Press
Monmouth
Atlas
Nauvoo
Hancock Eagle, continuation of *Neighbor* (1843)
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Peru
Beacon Light
Pittsfield
Pike County Free Press
Quincy
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Rock Island
Liberty Banner
St. Charles
Prairie Messenger
Woodstock
Illinois Republican

1847

Aurora
Beacon
Belleville
Times, continuation of *St. Clair Banner* (1845)
Belvidere
Prairie Beacon
Canton
Democratic Repository
Carrollton
Observer
Charleston
Republican
Chester
Reveille and Homestead Advocate
Chicago
Commercial Advertiser
Herald of the Prairies, continuation of *Western Herald* (1846)
Northwestern Educator and Magazine of Literature and Science
Porcupine
Tribune
Watchman of the Prairies
Danville
Patriot
Elgin
Gazette
Freeport
Prairie Democrat
Geneva
Western Mercury
Greenville
Western Evangelist
Jacksonville
Jackson Standard

Joliet
True Democrat
Motto

Lawrenceville
Star Spangled Banner

Little Fort
Lake County Visiter

Nauvoo
Patriot

Robin's Nest
Motto

Rock Island
Advertiser, continuation of *Northwestern Advertiser* (1845)

Waukegan
Lake County Chronicle

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Belvidere
Republican

Bloomington
Reveille

Cairo
Delta

Carrollton
Green County Banner

Charleston
Illinois Globe

Chicago
American Odd Fellow and Magazine of Literature and Art
Field Piece
Free Soil Banner
Illinois Staats-Zeitung
Lady's Western Magazine
New Covenant
Northwestern Medical and Surgical Journal, continuation of *Illinois and Indiana Medical and Surgical Journal* (1846)
Western Farmer

Galesburg
Northwestern Intelligencer

Greenville
Journal

Freeport
Journal

Lawrenceville
American Banner, continuation of *Star Spangled Banner* (1847)

Lebanon
Illinois Advocate and Lebanon Journal

Lockport
Will County Telegraph

Marshall
Illinois State Journal

Mt. Sterling
Prairie Pioneer

Oquawka
Spectator

Ottawa
United Irishman

Paris
Prairie Beacon

Pekin
Mirror

Peoria
Daily Register, continuation of *Weekly Register* (1845)
Nineteenth Century

Peru
Telegraph

Princeton
Bureau County Herald

Quincy
Tribune and Free Soil Banner

Rockford
Free Press

Rushville
Prairie Telegraph

Sparta
Freeman
Prairie Democrat

Shawneetown
Southern Illinois Advocate

Springfield
Illinois Organ

Virginia
Observer
Owl

1849

Belleville
Illinois Republican, continuation of *Times* (1847)

Benton
Standard

Belleville
Zeitung

Canton
Register

Chester
Herald

Chicago
Chicago Dollar Newspaper
Prairie Herald, continuation of *Herald of the Prairies* (1847)
Temperance Battle-Ax
Danville
Illinois Citizen
Galesburg
Northwestern Gazetteer
Greenville
Barnburner
Jonesboro
Gazette
Knoxville
Journal
Marshall
Illinois State Democrat
Naperville
Du Page County Recorder
Olney
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Peoria
Champion
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St. Charles
Democratic Platform, continuation of *People's Platform* (1849)
People's Platform
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Register
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Fayette Yeoman and Railroad Journal
Waukegan
Cody's Advertiser
Free Democrat

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State Bulletin
Chicago
Commercial Register
Democratic Argus
Eclectic Journal of Education and Literary Review
Edwardsville
Madison County Recorder
Galesburg
News Letter
Hillsboro
Prairie Mirror
Jerseyville
Prairie State
Lacon
Herald
Lewistown
Illinois Public Ledger
Marion
Western Family Monitor
Mt. Carroll
Tribune
Mt. Morris
Gazette
Mt. Sterling
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Republican
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